Vaughan Boyd

Vaughan Boyd, daughter of Mr.

boys from Alabama selected for

In 1994 Wendy's, the National

Association of Secondary School

Principals and the New York

Downtown Athletics Club (home

of the college Heisman Award) cre-

ated this program to recognize

young people who could serve as

role models for their fellow stu-

dents and the community. Candi-

excellence in academics, athletics

and community service. This year,

11,000 were nominated across the

United States, of which 1,020 were

demically at Elba High School,

Vaughan serves as president of the

student council and vice-president

letes. She was Elba's delegate to

Girls State and to the Alabama

Vaughan is an active member of

the Elba United Methodist Church

and of Senior Girl Scout Troop

Brett Morgan and Mayor Johnny

of the Fellowship of Christian Ath-

named state finalists.

and luncheon in Birmingham.

Vaughan Boyd named

Heisman program

Area News



ATTORNEY GENERAL BILL PRYOR was the guest speaker recently. at the Elba Rotary Club. Pryor told the group about the success of the department in prosecuting welfare and medicare fraud - those who take from the truly needy. He also outlined his plans for speeding up death sentence appeals and a better juvenile crime legislative package. He also commented that crimes are committed by criminals, not by guns. Pictured eases, including muscular dystrotions caused by influenza," said www.mdausa.org. above with the Attorney General are left Rotary President Ralph Bradley and right, program chairman Willard (Shorty) Martin.

12th annual Christmas Festival to be held Saturday, November 27th

12th Annual Christmas Festival and house square at 6 p.m. as "Elba's The linchpin in its grass roots Patients registered with MDA first voluntary health agency to be High School Heisman Program. Parade, "Catch the Holiday Spirit," All-Stars" are introduced during the effort, the Labor Day Telethon also may have transportation made avail- honored with the American Medical She was one of 10 girls and 10 This year's Christmas Festival Star Lighting Ceremony. This research into neuromuscular discosts to visit the MDA clinic. The Award "for significant and lasting this honor and was recognized at and Parade, sponsored by the Elba memorable event will honor some eases and potential therapies, offer Association will also pay a local contributions to the health and wel-Chamber of Commerce, will be of Elba's top citizens (former or comprehensive medical services for doctor to administer a flu shot if a fare of humanity," held on Saturday, Nov. 27 (Saturday current) who have established after Thanksgiving), beginning at 9 themselves as caring individuals

arena with all kinds of arts and the already beautifully decorated crafts, foods, activities, entertainment and fun for the whole family. The activities around the square the singing of Christmas carols. will wind down between 4 and 5 And, if that were not enough, a live p.m., which will be just in time for nativity scene will also be reenacted Wives' Club annual "Holidays in ments, porcelain china, jewelry, sea painting, fish pond, Santa; and plen-school principals on the basis of Christmas Parade at 5 p.m. This So, make your plans now to be in be held at Ft. Rucker's Yano Hall. etc., will be offered by the 136 venyear's parade is expected to be one Elba on Saturday, Nov. 27, for a Bldg. 6005, on Andrews Ave., Saturdors from Alabama and surrounding efit various organizations in the Ft. of the largest and will bring the whole day of fun and excitement at day, Nov. 13, 9 - 4. spirit of Christmas to Elba as the the 12th Annual Christmas Festival many entries flow through the city's and Parade as everyone catches the

This wonderful day of joyous fun

GW Carver stamp exhibit to be featured at Peanut Festival

When the Peanut Festival kicks brate the Century-Stamp Series. Service to "Premier" the George honor of the George Washington in Dothan. Carver Stamp selected for the Cele- This a fitting time for the Postal

Carver Station will be set up in is honored by having a statue also piece of peanut history.

off Nov. 5-13 in Dothan, the United George Washington Carver Washington Carver Station Cachet States Postal Service will be part of improved the economy of the South available in a limited quantity for the "Premier" event with a Philatel- by demonstrating the commercial only \$5. Visit the Postal Service ic Booth in the Exhibit Hall and a possibilities of the peanut. He is Booth in the Peanut Festival Exhibspecial cancellation celebrating the featured in the mural depicting the it Hall or call 334-762-2019 for event. The George Washington history of the peanut in Dothan. He information on purchasing your

Muscular Dystrophy Association offers free flu shots

The Muscular Dystrophy Associaffected families, and provide far-patient is not close to one of MDA's ation is again offering free flu shots reaching professional and public 230 clinics. for those affected by any of 40 neu- health education. romuscular disorders. Influenza is "For decades, MDA flu shots appointment for a free flu shot, call

the City of Elba as the date for the time ever event back on the Court-thousands of free flu shots annually. eases." 1999 Christmas Festival Elba All- helps MDA fund worldwide able or be reimbursed for travel Association Lifetime Achievement

particularly hazardous for people have helped 'my kids' reduce the your local MDA office, MDA headliving with muscle-wasting dis- chance of getting respiratory infec- quarters at 800-572-1717, or visit

phy. myasthenia gravis, spinal mus- Jerry Lewis, MDA National Chair- MDA is a national voluntary finalist in High School cular atrophy, and amyotrophic lat- man. "This is vitally important. health agency dedicated to finding eral sclerosis (ALS or Lou Gehrig's Neuromuscular diseases ravage all treatments and cures for neuromusmuscles, including those responsi- cular diseases affecting more than a Funds raised during the Jerry ble for respiration, so the flu can be million Americans. The Associa-Lewis MDA Telethon help make it life-threatening for children and tion receives no governmental and Mrs. L.A. Boyd IV, was Excitement continues to grow in will conclude with a special first possible for MDA to administer adults with progressive muscle disgrants, nor does it seek fees from recently named an Alabama State the families it serves. MDA is the Finalist in the prestigious Wendy's

For more information or to set an

a.m. The historic Courthouse square will become an outdoor mony, candles will be lit to enhance and the candle will be lit to enhance an outdoor mony, candles will be lit to enhance and the candle will be little will be little

states.

The NCO-EM and Officers stained glass, wreaths and orna- for the children, including face dates are nominated by their high the South" Christmas bazaar will shell crafts, soaps, wooden items, ty of food and baked goods. Items such as ceramics, furniture, Also, there will be entertainment

> USDA sets next CRP signup 20 for January-February 2000

> > Oct. 1, 2000.

erodible and other environmentally

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glick- Approximately 31.5 million acres Governor's School at Samford man recently announced that the will be enrolled in CRP contracts as University. She is a former "Miss next Conservation Reserve Program of Oct. 1, 1999. About 400 thou- Elbala." Vaughan has been elected (CRP) general signup will be held sand acres currently subject to CRP captain of the varsity basketball during a 4-week period from Janu- contracts will expire on Sept. 30, and varsity softball teams for three ary 18 through February 11, 2000, 2000. The contracts awarded under years and captain of the varsity in USDA local service centers signup 20 will become effective on volleyball team for two years.

"This is an opportunity for farm- Normally eligibility requirements ers and landowners to participate in apply, but the competitive nature of a cost-effective, voluntary program the EBI is waived because of the to improve their land, water, and highly environmentally-desirable wildlife resources and lock in a nature of the practices available. multiyear payment based on local The CRP is designed to improve Executive director rental rates," Glickman said. "It is the Nation's natural resource base. also an opportunity for participants Participants voluntarily enter into named with contracts expiring next fall to contracts with USDA to enroll make new contract offers." USDA will continue to evaluate sensitive land in long-term conand rank eligible CRP offers using tracts for 10 to 15 years. In an Environmental Benefits Index exchange, participants receive Henderson, who co-chair the (EBI), which is based on the poten-annual rental payments and a payfrom enrolling the land in the CRP, of establishing conservation prac-Decisions on the EBI cutoff will be tices.

Those who would have met previ-condition of lakes, rivers, ponds, ous signup EBI thresholds are not and streams. Acreage enrolled in opment Corporation. guaranteed a contract under signup the CRP is planted to resource-con-

The EBI in place for the 20th made the program the major consignup is very similar to the EBI tributor to increases in wildlife popused for last year's signup. ulations in many parts of the coun-The Farm Service Agency is try. authorized to maintain CRP enrollment up to 36.4 million acres.

Child Find activities underway in Coffee County

The Coffee County School Sys- the principal of your local school or lor of Science degree in business tem is in the process of identifying the Special Education Coordinator's marketing and a Masters degree in all persons with disabilities, ages 3- office at the Coffee County Board business administration from Troy 21 years, who are not enrolled in an of Education at 897-5016. educational setting, and all 0-3 year
It is important that all persons old children with disabilities. with disabilities be identified so opment Institute at the University

If you are the parent of a child appropriate services can be providone who is disabled, please contact

with disabilities or know of some- ed.

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Board of the Directors of the tial environmental benefits gained ment of up to 50 percent of the cost Enterprise Economic Development Corporation, recently announced that Mickey Simmons of Ozark has made after signup 20 ends. The The program protects millions of been named the Executive Direc-EBI cutoff used in previous signups acres of American topsoil from eromay not be used for this one. The sion. By reducing water runoff and that the organization now includes cutoff is decided after analyzing the sedimentation, it also protects Coffee and Geneva counties and EBI numbers of all the offers. groundwater and helps improve the groundwater and helps improve the

Coffee-Geneva Economic Devel-"I am very excited to join the serving (vegetative) covers, which organization as its executive direcnext century," Simmons said. "I look forward to working with the leadership and citizens of Coffee

> director for economic development for the City of Ozark since the spring of 1997. He holds a Bache-

Simmons has served as the

and Geneva counties."

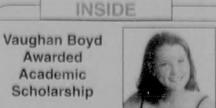
State University. He has completed Year 1 of the Economic Develof Oklahoma and the Alabama Intensive Economic Development Course at Auburn University. Simmons is the president of

SEACED (Southeast Alabama Commission for Economic Development), and is a member of the Economic Development Association of Alabama, the Kiwanis Club and other civic and community organizations. He is married to the former Linda Hoyle of Ozark. The couple have one son.

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Brantley Bulldogs





York-Wyrosdick Wedding Held In August 21, 1999

highway and went onto a field road. officers.

The truck driven by Bullard, who fired at the tires of the vehicle in an

the two Elba officers (in separate Bullard out of the cab of the truck.

Once he was handcuffed, he was

where he was treated and later

Bullard was also taken to Flow-

ers Hospital by a patrol unit where

he was treated, released and

returned to the Coffee County Jail

In addition to the warrants

ASSAILANT FACING TWO COUNTS OF ATTEMPTED MURDER

Traffic stop sends Elba officer to hospital

by Marvin McILwain, Editor An Elba police officer was hurt was the lone occupant of the vehi- attempt to disable it.

and sent to the hospital with back cle, traveled along Highway 84 Officers got the vehicle stopped injuries Sunday afternoon as a toward the Curtis Community with and the K-9 dog was used to get Shortly before 3:00 p.m., Officer vehicles) in pursuit. Greg Jackson stopped a large truck After turning right on U.S. High- taken to Elba General Hospital driven by Mike Bullard, 44, of Elba way 84 in the Curtis Community, where he was treated for "dog and attempted to serve outstanding Elba officers notified Opp and bites." By this time, additional offiwarrants on him. The initial stop asked for assistance in stopping the cers from Elba and other law took place within the city limits of vehicle; however, before reaching enforcement agencies had arrived

Elba on U. S. Highway 84 West Opp, the Bullard vehicle left the on the scene to assist the arresting Bullard, who would not get out Elba officers were able to once Officer Greg Jackson was taken of the vehicle when asked to do so again get the Bullard vehicle by ambulance to Elba General by Officer Jackson, proceeded to stopped. drive off, narrowly missing K-9 According to reports, once again transferred to Flowers Hospital in

Officer Kenny Jackson. At that time Bullard refused to exit the truck and Dothan. According to Elba Police truck in an attempt to stop the vehi- son with the vehicle and it was at injuries and released late Monday

Kenny Jackson drew his weapon attempted to leave the scene. In Chief R. W. Whitworth, he was and fired at the front tires of the doing so he hit officer Greg Jack- admitted to the hospital with back Elba man killed in motorcycle accident on rural county road

evening (Nov. 10) of last week on by the Alabama Department of two Elba officers. He was bonded Co. Rd. 205 in the Jack Communi- Forensic Science where an autopsy out of jail Monday on bonds total-A passer-by discovered the cause of death. wreck early Thursday morning and Investigating the accident was and \$1,500 on the three (3) failure-

The victim was identified as Billy McIlwain. during the early hours of Wednes- Brunson of Elba.

is: To blade or not to blade?

at the same time.

of the system.

on the traffic load, condition of the sion.

The supplied the supplied to t

take place but, according to a blad- whole road."

faces literally every day of the year located along them.

"Now This Is A Good Dirt Road"

roads and sometimes it seems that road" is, says Tindell. People tend

the residents living on these roads to think that keeping the road grad-

all want their road bladed (graded) ed pretty and smooth is actually the

According to Tindell, he has be one of the worst things that can

implemented the 2-6-12 system of be done. The more often a road is

blading the county's dirt roads. bladed, the softer the surface is,

After evaluating all the roads based thus making it more prone to ero-

roadbed, and taking into considera- "Sometimes less is better such as

tion the number of residents living the case with many of the roads in

on the roads, he has scheduled the the county," he said. "If a road is

roads for blading either 2, 6 or 12 really rough and has bad places, we

times in a twelve- month period. He will blade it. In some cases, we will

admits that this does not always spot blade in lieu of blading the

ing schedule (a record of all the Tindell estimates that in some

time each dirt road has been grad- cases, we are losing approximately

ed), it has been pretty close. Weath- 2 inches of roadway depth annually.

er and the crews' work load are Several miles of the dirt roads in

A road that is in good shape, able during "bad weather."

determining factors in the success the county have been "rocked" and

such as the one pictured above, will Tindell noted that one of the best

only be graded twice annually features of a good road is to actual-

while others which are highly trav- ly have grass growing in and on the

eled will be graded 12 or more roadway (such as in the picture

times. Tindell says one of the major above); this helps reduce erosion of

problems or obstacles to keeping a the road surface; however, the pub-

best thing when in actuality, it can

this aids in keeping the roads pass-

The county has 262 miles of dirt the public on what a "good dirt

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor day evening but due to the dark-

An Elba man was killed in a was not discovered until morning. faces two charges of attempted

motorcycle accident Wednesday The body was taken to Dothan murder for his actions against the was performed to determine the ing \$41,500.00 (2-\$20,000 bonds on the attempted murder charges ediately called authorities. Alabama State Trooper Jerry Allen to-appear warrants).

agency.

ness, and no witnesses, the accident already against Bullard, he now

Upon arriving on the scene, Coffee assisted by the Coffee County Due to shots being fired in the County EMS and law enforcement Sheriff's Department. Brunson was incident, Chief Whitworth has

officers determined that the victim pronounced dead at the scene by asked the Alabama Bureau of had been dead for several hours. Coffee County Coroner Marvin Investigation to handle the investigation, along with the 12th Judicial headquarters in Elba has announced the major layoff last year, many of With Kleinert's recent acquisition Joe "Joey" Brunson, Jr., 38, of Elba Funeral services were held for District Attorney's office. Officers a major lay-off of employees, those people were given a chance to of Buster Brown and the consolidaongoing investigation.

Further investigation revealed Brunson Sunday afternoon. He was with the Coffee County Sheriff's mostly sewing machine operators, return and be cross trained for new tion of those business activities in that the accident probably occurred the son of Billy Joe and Frances Department are assisting in the even though some related positions as the company continued Elba, we expect new jobs to be cre-Dirt roads in the county are a problem November 4, 1999. by Marvin MclLwain, Editor road in "good shape" is the fact that lic - in general - thinks that a road

most of the roadways are located in with grass growing on it is a "bad" ducing separates in Elba. This past few years, we have seen a sub-The big question that Coffee agricultural areas and actually serve thing" and the road needs blading. should impact on about 50 people, stantial attrition in the Elba, Ala. status. The net result should be a County Engineer Randy Tindell as drainage ways for the fields Recently, the Choctawhatchee, according to some production work force and have been unable to decrease of approximately 100 Pea, and Yellow Rivers Watershed employees.(2) reduce Elba Knit Set replace this attrition with enough jobs. It is Kleinert's intention to Another problem is in educating Management Authority (CPYRW-MA) has become interested in the many miles of dirt roads located in Cutting Department volume of sup- that our competitors have eliminat- 500 employees. the ten-county area served by the port.

According to a recent study, it production and Screen Print depart- jobs offshore while keeping as employees. otal amount being dumped in area after the first of the year and ship- ket in the surrounding area. children's wear - founded in 1869 rivers and contributing streams. Tindell noted that plans are being formulated to educate county engineers and their road crews on the proper way to maintain dirt roads so as to prevent this vicious cycle

oad maintenance crews. Please See ROADS Page 3

of erosion. Many of the techniques

being considered are already being

implemented by Tindell and his

COFFEE COUNTY'S FARM OF DISTINCTION...This year, the Coffee County Farm-City Week Committee selected the Doug Dalrymple Farm as the recipient of the 1999 Farm of Distinction Award. Doug Dalrymple, born and raised in the Mt. Pleasant Community just south of Enterprise, has literally given his whole life to agriculture. Doug, his wife Ann, and their two sons, along with their wives and family, all work to make the farm go. Today, the Dalrymple farm is comprised of 1450 acres of row crops (peanuts and cotton) and 400 acres of pasture used in the raising of 300 head of cattle. Dalrymple also represents the residents of District 4 on the Coffee County Commission. The Dalrymple family is pictured above accepting the award. They are (l-r); Holley and Parrish Dalrymple and son, Jackson; Kim and Brett Dalrymple and their two sons, Dalton and Dakota; Ann and Doug Dalrymple; and making the award presentation is Steve Wyrosdick. The formal presentation of the award will take place at the Farm/City Banquet on Thursday, November 18, 1999, at the Farm Center in New Brockton. The event

Kleinert's of Alabama has major lay-

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Vice President and Plant Manag- a layoff of some sewing machine

er Pinckney Sims said in conversa- operators and related packing Kleinert's of Alabama, with tion with this newspaper that after employees. are also involved. All companies to grow. He then issued the follow- ated early next year in Shipping and employees were notified of the ing prepared statement to The Elba Warehousing, Customer Service, action in a prepared memo dated Clipper:

The memo to employees indicat- children's apparel for thirty years in mal turnover will result in the ed the company would (1) stop pro- its Elba, Ala. facility. During the placement of a substantial number production (3) reduce blanket qualified employees. Sleeper production (4) reduce the This attrition along with the fact its Elba facility of between 400 to

sewing production from Elba to off- other labels."

ed their domestic sewing base, has Additionally, an early retirement No change is expected in Shield forced Kleinert's to move sewing package will be offered to eligible was found that run-off from dirt ments. The Embroidery Department many sewing jobs as possible in Kleinert's, one of the country's oads accounts for 70 percent of the could possibly see a second shift Elba in view of the tight labor mariargest and oldest manufacturer of

"Kleinert's has manufactured These new jobs along with nor-

ping department should see some However, due to continued cus- and based in Plymouth Meeting. increase employment after the first tomer demands for lower costs, Pa., proudly sells under the Babyof the year, due to the Buster Kleinert's plans to move more of its Gro, Buster Brown and various shore locations which will result in

maintain a full time work force at

Elba grand jury indictments result in arrests

Distribution of a Controlled Sub-

W/M, Williams Street, Elba -

Unlawful Distribution of a Con-

trolled Substance - Arrested 11/5/99

·Mary Cook, Elba, Unlawful Distri-

bution of a Controlled Substance

*Conalisa Caldwell, 22, B/F, Lot

21, Powell Trailer Court, Elba -

Possession of Cocaine - Arrested

stance - Arrested 11/5/99

Arrested 11/5/99

As reported in *The Elba Clipper* those indictments, the following 1/23/98

Area Happenings

AREA FOOTBALL GAMES The only area football team partcipating in the Alabama State High School Football Playoffs is the Brantley Bulldogs. They travel to Florala to take on the Wildcats Friday night. Kick off is at 7:00 p.m. and tickets are \$5.00 each.

SPECIAL PERSONS BAZARR The Elba Methodist Church is sponsoring a Special Persons Bazarr Thursday (TODAY), Nov. 18, 1999 from 9:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.in the fellowship hall of the church.

FARM-CITY BANQUET This year's Farm-City Banquet is set for 6:30 p.m. Thursday (TONIGHT), November 18, 1999, at the Farm Center in New Brockton.

COMMISSION MEETING The Coffee County Commission will hold its bi-monthly meeting Monday. November 22, 1999, at 9 a.m. in •Thomas Monroe Richardson, 32, the Community Room located in the County Complex in New Brock-

ELBA'S CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL The Elba Chamber of Commerce will present its 12th Annual Christmas Festival, "Catch the Holiday Spirit," on Saturday, Nov. 27, beginning at 9 a.m. on the square in downtown Elba followed by the annual Christmas Parade at 5 p.m. The day's events will close with the magical "1999 All-Star Lighting" ceremony on the square immediately after the parade. For more information, contact Kaye Whitworth at the Elba Chamber of Commerce (897-

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor Jury handed down more than 100 •Undray Chism, 21, B/M, Elba indictments. In connection with Possession of Cocaine - Arrested

last week, an Elba Division Grand individuals have been arrested, •Earnest Junior Barrow, 28, B/M, charged and placed in the Coffee Kendrick Apts., Elba - Sexual County Jail. Most of them have Abuse 1st degree - Arrested 4/25/99 made bond and are out of jail pend- •Keith Tyson, 19, B/M, 311 West ing court action. Street, Elba - Receiving Stolen They are as follows: property 1st degree - Arrested

•Derrick Devine Warren, B/M, 10/6/99 1710 Jones Street, Elba - Posses- • Wallace Holmes, 44, B/M, 724 sion/Unlawful Distribution of a Noel Ave., Ozark - Attempted Mur-Controlled Substance - Arrested der - Arrested 3/24/99

•Susan Holderfield Harrison, 40, •Carlus Thomas, 23, B/M, Elba - W/F, 7038 Co. Rd. 410, Elba -Unlawful Distribution of a Con- Unlawful Distribution of a Controlled Substance - Arrested 11/5/99 trolled Substance - Arrested 11/5/99 •Betty Chism, 45, B/F, Jackson •Ashley Boutwell, 22, W/M, 1790 Street, Elba - Unlawful Distribution Highland Dr., Elba, Unlawful Disof a Controlled Substance - Arrest- tribution of a Controlled Substance

Arrested 11/5/99 •Courtney Robinson, 20, B/M. 711 •Steven Dewayne Thomas, 28, Kennedy Estates, Elba - Unlawful B/M, Elba - Unlawful Distribution Please See ARRESTS Page 3

NOTICE

The deadlines for next week's edition of The Elba Clipper will be as follows: Church & Social News 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19; All other news Noon Monday, Nov. 22. All ad deadlines are Aonday Noon.



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BRAINSTORMS With Ferrin Cox

Last week in Boston an enterprising TV reporter asked Presidential candidate George Bush to name the leaders of four countries - Chechnya, Pakistan, Taiwan and India. Bush named only one. Then the debate started . . . did the reporter ambush Mr. Bush. In our opinion, he did but it is not the first time some reporter trying to impress the world with his own importance got down a book, memorized some off the wall bit of information and used it to set up governors, presidents or in this case a candidate for president. In our opinion, Bush should have looked the guy in the eye, smiled and said, "I can't name them but as president promise to have a foreign relations staff that knows their names, their favorite foods and their political agenda.'

The Alabama legislature is back in session, this time to resolve the financial shortfall from the Supreme Court ruling that struck down the higher franchise tax on out-of-state corporations. We have read a copy of the general plan to be introduced and listened to the opinions of some of the pro's and con's crowd. Unless someone with a personal agenda starts beating the drums and holding the issue hostage to get video poker approved or something like that, we expect the legislators to be successful in getting a package of tax bills of the Governor's liking out before mid December.

The recent city elections in Montgomery and Birmingham left political establishments in shock. Voters in Birmingham turned against the advice of long time political power Richard Arrington and elected someone other than the mayor's hand picked replacement. In Montgomery the voters turned out every single incumbent on the run-off ballot, including Mayor Emory Folmar as well as long time Councilman and statewide political leader Joe Reed. Also defeated was long time councilman and Elba native Lou Hammond. Whatever was bugging these folks, they didn't align with particular political factions, they fired them all, regardless of political associations.

This past weekend Heddy and I were out of town on one of Mr. Michael Bird, band director, at Zion Chapel High School. 29256 those rare occasions we do slip off "just for us." We last did it Highway 87, Jack, AL 36346. in 1997. It was very enjoyable and the weather cooperated perfectly. We noticed that wherever we were eating, the waiter or waitress made quite a difference in our overall opinion of the restaurant. The food was good everywhere we ate, but Melissa's bubbly personality made the seafood platter seem The Elba Police Department. a house fire on Cordelia Street better. Jeannie's beaming smile helped us decide which salad beginning Monday, November 8. (1:48 a.m.): River stage - 3.11 was the best another night and Barb's enthusiasm for getting 1999, investigated the following (6:15 a.m.); Coffee County EMS her second college graduate a good job made that breakfast incidents; one theft of property, one dispatched to a residence on Carver meal memorable. The examples go on and on. An exception public intoxication, one domestic Drive (11:25 a.m.). was the morning we ate waffles. The service was okay and the dispute, one harassing communicafood was okay, but neither was worth writing home about. Maybe it was because the waitress was mechanically doing her job . . . waiting for quitting time and payday.

The down side to the days away was coming back to Elba and

The following arrests were made: River stage -2.98 feet (6:28 a.m.): facing so much sad news. The reports of several sudden one for theft of property, one for Coffee County EMS dispatched to deaths and very unpleasant medical diagnoses quickly put a possession of a forged instrument. a wreck on Co. Rd. 205 (7:59 damper on our happy attitudes and relaxed moods.



ELBA RECEIVES TREE GRANT...In the picture above, Elba Mayor James E. Grimes (center) accepts a \$2,000 check from Harry Carver (right), of Alabama Power Company. Looking on is Kaye Whitworth (left), Executive Director of the Elba Chamber of Commerce. The money comes from the \$55,000 "Plant a Tree in Alabama" grant provided by Alabama Power in partnership with the Alabama Urban Forestry Association. This is part of the 1999 Urban and Community Tree Assistance Program which calls for the planting of over 1,000 new trees in 40 communities throughout the state. "The project was designed to promote the development of the natural environment in populated and developing areas as well as foster public awareness about the benefits of having a productive urban forest," said Carver. The Alabama Power Foundation and the Alabama Urban Forestry Association will continue to fund the "Plant a Tree in Alabama" program annually.

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duce D.L. number, social security that some of the complaints we number, date of birth, and name of receive, it is found that the checks will have been submitted several the individual.

investigation concerning forged or street address (not P.O. Box) and you better. no accounts checks. We are fully telephone number. Check to see if Your cooperation in these matters 13, 1999 at Harrell-Faircloth Funer- Mr. V.C. Mobley, age 96, of Rt. Ramer officiating. Burial followed aware that the majority of people this information is correct on the are greatly appreciated and by al Home Chapel in Moultrie, Ga. I. Jack, Ala., died Nov. 12, 1999 at in the New Hope Cemetery with

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

cases involving these matters. when producing such documents. Sincerely thanks, Therefore, in order to speed up the Without this information we are Sgt. Johnny P. Senn process and being able to conduct unable to obtain a warrant for the an investigation on all checks person(s) arrest that commits these received, the following information offenses. We would also ask that is vital and needs to be written on you do not hold these instruments for a long period of time because 1. Identification - Alabama dri- time is not on our side in these ver's license or I.D. card will pro- cases. The problems we face are

hindering the conduction of any 3. Ask the individual(s) their so that our department can serve Hospital in Dothan.

EXPRESS YOUR WRITE A LETTER TO THE

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of a Controlled Substance - Arrest- stance - Arrested 11/10/99 Hickman Ave., Elba Unlawful Dis- Possession/Unlawful Distribution ed 6/19/99 ed 5/16/99 - Arrested 11/5/99

•James Robert Griggs, 45, W/M, •Tiffany Lynn Hutchinson, 21, W/F, 2nd Degree - Arrested 6/17/99 Harrison St., Enterprise - Unlawful 2203 Co. Rd. 411, Fyffe, AL - Bur- Box 54E, Elba - Assault 2nd

•Alfred T. Purvis, 22, B/M, Rt. 2 Rd. 106, Brundidge, Receiving JR. •Nathaniel Edwards, 34, B/M, 1855 Box 140B. Elba - Stolen Property 1st Degree, Arrest- Mr. Billy Joe "Joey" Brunson Jr. tribution of a Controlled Substance of a Controlled Substance - Arrest • Richard Thomas, 51, B/M 1546 1999.

ment - arrested 5/13/99 erty - Arrested 7/27/99

Distribution of a Controlled Sub- glary 1st Degree - Arrested 7/1/99 Degree, arrested 1/17/99 U.S. Army offering

enlistment bonus

for active duty between Oct. 1 and Dec. 27, will be eligible for an additional bonus of \$4,000,"said of the U.S. Army's Montgomery Recruiting Battalion. This limited by Marvin MclLwain, Editor ered indicating the infant's death time \$4,000 bonus applies to the could be classified as SIDS (Sud-Army's approximately 200 military

The items of evidence and poly- occupational skill. The maximum old infant that was found dead on tive recommending that all charges bonus cannot receive the Army

Lampton's arrest came as a result was further requested that the To be eligible for the additional of an investigation into the child's investigation continue to either bonus, an applicant must have no death by Coroner Tim Whitehead. completely rule out foul play or to prior military service, meet educa-The child had been taken to a local discover evidence, if any exists. tional criteria, score in the top half hospital where it was determined and present it to a future grand jury. of the Armed Services Vocational that the child had died from suffo- The directive applauded the Aptitude Battery, and meet all by the pathologist with Department the original investigation and the "Anyone who wants to learn

more about this seasonal enlist-District Attorney Fuller has filed ment bonus should contact their According to reports, the accused a motion in the Circuit Court of local Army recruiter for details, juvenile mother and the prelimito nolle prosequi the pending The U.S. Army Recruiting Batnary investigation into the infant's charge of capital murder against talion-Montgomery has 41 recruit-

death pointed in his direction. Lampton. In his motion, the Dising station in Alabama and the



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important information with you in the person(s) producing the identi- contact the Elba Police Department 90, of 1480 Cherokee Lane, Elba, one brother: Harland Gene "Hal" Funeral services were held Nov. as soon as possible in these cases. Ala., died Nov. 11, 1999 at Flowers Brunson, Lackland, Fla.

Funeral services were held Nov. V.C. MOBLEY

Jeannette Cowart, Elba, Ala.; a son- Home of Brundidge directing. Okeechobie, Fla.: 13 grandchildren: in-law: Dr. William "Bill" Cowart. Mr. Mobley was preceded in 22 great-grandchildren; and two Elba, Ala.; three sisters: Frances death by his wife, Vaneria Mobley. great great-grandchildren. McLendon, Albany, Ga., Lilyan Survivors include a daughter: Braswell, Thomasville, Ga., Edna Doris Doster, Jack, Ala.; a son and Thomas, Antiock, Tenn.; a grand- daughter-in-law: Marlin and Edna son and granddaughter-in-law: Mobley, Jack, Ala.; six grandchil-Stephen and Beverly Cowart, Mt. dren, 14 great-grandchildren and Pleasant, S.C.; a granddaughter two great great-grandchildren. and grandson-in-law: Rachel and David Oliver, Birmingham, Ala. JESSIE WILLARD SMITH

age 38, of Rt. 2, Elba, died Nov. 11,

Gray Street, Elba - Assault in the Funeral services were held Nov. 14, 1999 at New Ebenezer Baptist Co. Rd. 401, Elba - Unlawful Dis- 406 Fitzsimmons St., New Brock- •RoyLynne Hudson, 40, W/F, Apt. Church of Elba with Min. Greg tribution of a Controlled Substance ton - Possession of a Forged Instru- C. Elba Villas, Elba - Theft of Prop- Hanchey officiating. Burial followed in the New Ebenezer Baptist •Michael Carter, 25, B/M, 108 W. •Michell Lesperance. 21, W/F. •Martin Caldwell, 19, B/M, Rt. 2 Church Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing. Survivors include his father: Billy Joe Brunson, Elba; his moth-

er: Frances Brunson, Elba; two

CARD THANKS

The family of V.C. Mobley would like to thank everyone for the food, flowers, cards, prayers and other acts of kindness shown during the recent death of our loved one. Your kindness will always be

appreciated and remembered. May God bless you. The Marlin Mobley & Doris Doster families

2. Make sure that the person(s) months prior to the department JEANNETTE ROUSE ADAMS, sons: Adam Joseph Brunson and Mr. Smith was a life long resi-We would like to share some submitting a written instrument is receiving the complaint. Please Mrs. Jeannette Rouse Adams, age Mark Evan Brunson, both of Elba; dent of Elba and Coffee County. 15, 1999 in the Chapel at Hayes

doing so the Elba Police Depart- with the Revs. Michael Helms and Pike Manor Health Care Center. Hayes Funeral Home directing. ments other than cash. However, This information is a crucial part ment can expedite these cases and John I. Baxter officiating. Burial Funeral services were held at Mr. Smith was preceded in death we are experiencing major difficul- of our evidence against the persons therefore producing better results to followed in the Westview Cemetery Haw Hill Assembly of God Church by his wife, Mrs. Katie Smith. on Nov. 14, 1999 with the Revs. Survivors include one son: Mrs. Adams was preceded in Larry Doster, Paul Nelson and Willard Lamar Smith, Orlando. death by her husband, George Ray- Shirlie Ellis officiating. Burial fol- Fla.; three daughters: Brunise lowed in the Haw Hill Assembly of Smith, Jack, Ala., Jean Suggs, Survivors include a daughter: God Cemetery with Dillard Funeral Tavares, Fla., Carolyn Holarger,

Mr. Jessie Willard Smith, age 84. •Dorlan Hammond, 32, W/M, Co. BILLY JOE "JOEY" BRUNSON of Jack, Ala., died Nov. 13, 1999 at Medical Center Enterprise

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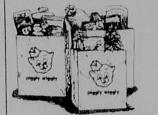
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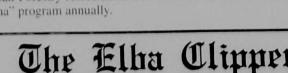
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Elba General Hospital had the Persons discharged during the following patients admitted during same time period were: Verbie the time period of November 9. Sasser. Sara Jimmerson. Annette 1999, through November 15, 1999. Bradshaw, Edward Sawyer, Jane They were Edward Sawyer, F.G. White, Lois Edgar, Mary Watson, Cooper, Mary Watson, Sabrina Mildred Armstrong, Ray Sawyers, Slenker, Chad Bryan, Devorian Jeaneva Ordon, Zella McClendon, Wilkerson, Mildred Armstrong, Joe Chad Bryan, Joe Dean, Cory Card-Dean, Ella Fair Hudson, Brenda well, Ella Fair Hudson, Sabrina Arnett, Jeaneva Ordon, Bettye Slenker, Loretta Veit, F.G. Cooper, Adkinson, Obie Reese, Clemmie Bettye Adkinson, Devorian Wilker-Williamson, Lovette Veit, Helen son, Mary Bradshaw, Ocie Phillips, Horstead, Gussie Smart, Mary Obie Reese, Helen Horstead, Clem-Bradshaw, Ocie Phillips, and Estel- mie Williamson, and Brenda

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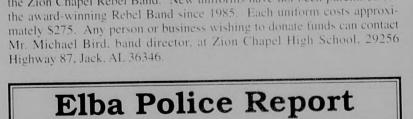
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ject reported with a gun on Reese Avenue (12:37 p.m.); Routine SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14 River stage - 2.84 feet (6:20 a.m.): Alarm at NASCO Equipment Co. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9 - Fire (8:05 a.m.); Alarm at Kelley Foods (8:31 a.m.); Coffee County EMS lispatched to U.S. Hwy. 84W (3:07 o.m.): Coffee County EMS dispatched to a residence on Co. Rd.

er Court (8:29 p.m.).

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tion, one forgery, one burglary, four WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 DUIs, one assault, one disorderly - River stage - 3.03 feet (6:18

(speeding), one for disorderly conduct, one for resisting arrest, one FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12 for VPL, and one for possession of Alarm at Hardee's (3:40 a.m.); River stage - 2.94 feet (6:16 a.m.); Traffic citations issued during the Coffee County EMS dispatched to

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11

speeding, four for DUI, one for dri- a.m.); Fire department dispatched er's license not in possession, two to a grass fire on Co, Rd, 360 (4:29) for driving on the wrong side of the p.m.). road, one for driving while driver's license are suspended, one for no SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13 child restraint, one for no driver's River stage - 2.90 feet (6:31 a.m.); license, and one for an expired tag. Coffee County EMS dispatched to Daily activity highlights for the a residence on Caroline Street (12:31 p.m.); Coffee County EMS

River stage - 3.24 (6:07 a.m.); Sub- Avenue (1:15 p.m.) 308 (6:34 p.m.): Coffee County

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said Tindell. "Hopefully this will in place which includes the paving "Qualified applicants who enlist come to pass in the near future." of many of the dirt roads in the for three or more years and report The ideal situation is to have all future. Enterprise Division grand jury recommend LTC Richard E. Talley, commander charges against Lampton be dropped

A Coffee County-Enterprise den Infant Death Syndrome). In occupational skills open to new Division grand jury which had been addition, a month after the incident. enlistees. called into another regular session Lampton was given a polygraph "The \$4,000 bonus will be in last week reconsidered the charges test which he passed and he was addition to any existing bonus that against Anthony Darell Lampton, allowed to be bonded out of jail. may be connected with the military 21. of Enterprise. The grand jury, in an earlier ses- graph results prompted District combined bonus can be up to sion, had indicted Lampton on a Attorney Mark Fuller to re-present \$6,000 for a three-year enlistment capital murder charge in connection the matter to the grand jury. After and \$12,000 for a four-year enlistwith the death of Traiveon hearing the new evidence, the ment," explained Talley. Appli-Rayshawn Griffin, a four-month- grand jury issued a written direc- cants who choose this limited time

the morning of August 22, 1999. against Lampton be dismissed. It College Fund. cation. An autopsy performed later efforts of law enforcement in both other enlistment criteria.

of Forensic Science confirmed that continuing investigation. finding. was the boyfriend of the child's Coffee County-Enterprise Division Tally said.

Lampton was arrested on August triet Attorney stated that additional panhandle of Florida. 23 and placed in the Coffee County evidence indicating Lampton may Jail where he was being held with- not be responsible for the death of During the course of further ommendation of the grand jury investigation into the matter, sever- were grounds for his motion.

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al items of evidence were discov-FLOURNOY ST. - Good The Elba Chamber of Commerce is still seeking busi-Ranch style w/3 BR, 2BA, large nesses, clubs or individuals to sponsor a tree around the family home w/fireplace and square to be decorated with Christmas lights this holilots more. Drop by and let us day season. The beautifully sparkling lights are just one



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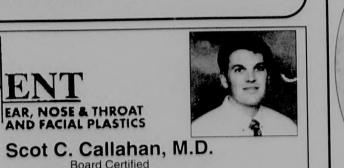
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Ron Lee Davis tells a heart-breaking story about a little girl named tist Church, Dozier, Ala., Nov. 24. To know that I am in control of Tracy he met several years ago at a Christian camp in the Midwest. 26 & Nov. 28. Wednesday, Nov. the ball. To know that if I miss this She was 8-years-old, a child of the inner city. This was her first time 24, at 7:30 p.m. with the choir in shot we'd lose the game. at camp, and because her family was desperately poor, she had brought eharge. Thursday, Nov. 25, at 7:30 I've been waiting for this game only one outfit for the entire week, a worn and frayed print dress. p.m. with the Mission in charge. for a while. During her first few days at camp, Tracy made a decision to receive Friday, Nov. 26, at 7:30 p.m. with Waiting to win and feel victori-

Jesus as her Savior. Toward the end of the week, Ron Davis and Tracy the Deacons in charge. Sunday, ous. were talking together as they walked in the woods. "Tracy," Davis Nov. 28, 10:30 a.m. will be Sunday I want to be proud of myself and said, "If you could have anything you wanted, anything at all, what School - Supt. in charge. Lesson my teammates.

Tracy was silent for a moment, giving the question a lot of thought, will be the regular order of service. Give a short prayer. "Well," she said at last, "I guess I would wish I could get hit by a car. Dismissed for lunch. 2:30 p.m. Set up, and I wouldn't want to get hurt real bad - just enough so I could go to the special afternoon service. hospital. I think it would be neat to live in a hospital."

Surprised, Davis said, "Why would you want to live in a hospital?" "I'd like to live in a hospital," she said, "because somebody once told me that in the hospital, kids like me get three meals every day." Three meals every day. Something you and I take for granted, yet, Davis notes. Tracy said those words in the same awed tone most peo-

ple would say "a million dollars." Are you one of those people who think you have to go to Ethiopia to day, Dec. 5, at 2 p.m. see the ravages of malnutrition on children? Then, woe to you. Of course, there are hungry children in Ethiopia.

U.S. News and World Report carried some sobering statistics someRocky Head Missionary Baptist
Today is a good day, be grateChurch on Sunday, Nov. 21, at 6:30
O.2 miles on County Road 308 off
Rocky Head Missionary Baptist time back: People who starve to death each year: 11 million. Over- Church, Elba, Ala., invites all ful! weight U.S. adults: 34 million. Money Americans spent eating out, Senior Citizens to a pre-Thanksgiv-1980: \$52 billion; 1990: \$236 billion U.S. expenditures for overseas food aid, 1980: \$1.4 billion; 1990: \$1.6 billion. Average calories consumed daily, North Americans: 3500; Africans: 2100. People who are continually hungry. Ethiopia: 20%; Sudan: 20%; Mozambique: 30-

40%. American adults currently on diets: 19% We dare not grow callous to such discrepancies. If we do, then, 'Woe to you who are well fed now, for you will go hungry." Think about it this Thanksgiving.

Reminder: Everyone is invited to the communitywide Thanksgiving Service at Elba First Assembly of God this Sunday at 6 p.m. The admission is canned food for the Christian Mission.

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Mayean Miller, Inez Griswold, Nel- fried and grilled chicken, green lie Carley, T.A. Smith, Jean Cop- beans, butterbeans, rice, corn, potapack, Larry Kelly, J.W. Eldridge. to salad, stuffed eggs, garden salad, Sunday morning, the Senior tea and soft drinks and desserts ladies were given corsages and including, red velvet and coconut escorted to their seats by young cake, blueberry pie, banana pudding teens, Charles Spears, Eric Towles, and strawberry delight. and Marcus Moody. The gentlemen After the meal, everyone played were given boutonnieres and escort- games and received gifts.

Community Thanksgiving Service to be held at Hebron Baptist

Kanika Belcher A community Thanksgiving Ser- Wise Mill Assembly of God. vice will be held at Hebron Baptist Hebron Baptist Church is located Eria Hebron Baptist Church, Bluff tion call, Rev. Mark Jankoski at Springs Church, Victoria Baptist 308-9134. Everyone is invited to Church, Zion Chapel Baptist attend. Church, Dorcas Baptist Church and

Elba Church of God plans a barbecue for

Saturday November 20

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Community-wide **Thanksgiving Service**

The Elba Ministerial Association will be sponsoring a community-wide Thanksgiving Service this Sunday, Nov. 21. The service will be held on Sunday evening at 6 p.m. at the First Assembly of God Church.

The service will include testimonies and singing by the thurches involved in the ministerial association as well as an offering for the Christian Mission of Elba. Also, there will be a collection box for canned foods, and everyone is encouraged o bring canned foods to supplement the Christian Mission

After the service, there will be a "Finger Food Everyone is cordially invited to come and cel-brate God's goodness and blessing to ebrate God's goodness and blessing towards our



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Morn. Worship

SETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH TABERNACLE Darryl Caldwell, Pastor ...10:00 a.m.11:30 a.m. Morn. Worship...7:00 p.m. Morn. Worship.... ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Morn. Worship....10:30 a.m. ..7:00 p.m. ROOKLA'N BAPTIST CHURCH ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Morn. Worship..... HESTNUT GROVE METHODIST Wed. Service Rev. Bennett Abbott, Pastor

.....6:15 p.m. ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. John I. Baxter, Pastor ...10:00 a.m.6:00 p.m. ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Morn. Worship AMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH d. Prayer Service......7:00 p.m. ORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH

....6:00 p.m. ..11:00 a.m. ...7:30 p.m. FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY

....11:00 a.m.

Rev. Stephen Dubose, Pastor

Danny Bradshaw, Pastor Sunday School.......9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship....11:00 a.m. Even. Servi Ray Layton, Pastor CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Wa Wed. Bible Study......7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service.... KINSTON FIRST BAPTIST MULBERRY HTS. CHURCH OF10:00 a.m. CHRIST6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship...7:00 p.m. Even. Service.... Wed Bible Class 6:30 p.m. Morn. Worship.... LIVING WORD PENTECOSTAL Willie L. Peterson, Pastor MUSTARD SEED FOUNDATION Ron & Mary Stinson, Pastors Saturday Service.......9:45 a.m11:00 a.m. Sunday Morn. Service.......10:30 a.m. HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC Wed. Night Service... W. K. Ellison, Pastor LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST NEW ABUNDANT LIFE DEL. Greg Hanchey, Minister11:00 a.m. Hirron & Linda Williams, Ministers Morn. Worship..... Fri. Even LOVE'S WAY CHURCH Rev. Charles K. Jones, Pastor NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH

HAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Morn. Worship......8:45 a.m. HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD Shirlie Ellis, Pastor Morn. Worship6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship......9:45 a.m. Sunday Evening.....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship...7:00 p.m. Even. Service. Wed. Service..... ...6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service......7:00 p.m. MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH J. R. Parks, Pastor HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH Mark Jankoski, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a11:00 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sundays Morn. Worship.... MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Wed. Prayer Meeting.....7:00 p.m. Morn. Worship..... Wesley D. Ard, Pastor7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting...11:00 a.m. MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Wed. Prayer Meeting......6:30 p.m. Rev. Hubert McWaters, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. INO BAPTIST CHURCH

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Wed. Prayer Meet..

Morn. Worship.....

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Rev. Wayne Webber

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Even Worship.....

Morn. Worship...

Even. Worship....

Wed. Bible Study....

Rev. Ben McKee, Pastor

Sunday School.9:45 a.m.

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Elbert Smith, Pastor

Rev. Faron Golden, Pastor

Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST

...5:00 p.m. Morn. Worship...... NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH J. C. Turner, Pastor11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Service.....7:00 p.m NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF

GOD IN CHRIST Sunday School......10 & 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH J. R. Parks, Pastor11:30 a.m. WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Sunday School..... WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST

A. R. Williams, Pastor

WOOTEN CHAPEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Jimmy Maddox, Pastor Sunday School......9:45 a.m.6:00 p.m. ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH Nathan Johnson, Pastor Larry Wise, Pastor
Shapl Sunday School Sunday School ...11:00 a.m7:00 p.m. Even. Service..... Thursday Service

LIFESTYLES

York-Wyrosdick wedding held in August



Mrs. Samuel Heath Wyrosdick

Couple to be re-united in holy matrimony on Friday, Dec. 3rd



Danny Ray Duncan &

Lisa Marie Carnley Duncan

Danny Jr., Annie, Dellen and Treston Duncan announce the engagement and forthcoming remarriage of their parents, Danny Ray Duncan and Lisa Marie Carnley Duncan. Danny Ray is the son of Sue

Watson Duncan and the late Lester Lee Duncan of Elba. Lisa Marie is the daughter of Ottes and Rossa Carnley of Haines City, Fla. The wedding will take place on Friday, Dec. 3, at the Elba Deliverance Tabernacle Holiness Church with a reception immediately following in the fellowship hall of the PICTURED AT SIX WEEKS of

cordial invitation to attend.

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It is important that all persons old children with disabilities. with disabilities be identified so If you are the parent of a child appropriate services can be provid-



Tanner Horton is two years old

Tanner Horton, son of Dana Boggess and Jason Horton, celebrated his second birthday on Nov. •

Tanner's grandparents are Pam Boggess of Elba and Danny and Vibra Smith of the Victoria Community. His great-grandparents are Joan and Benny Wilkerson and Joyce and Leon Miller, all of Elba; and Travis and Nellie Smith of



Ms. Daphne Donaldson of Elba. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Tanya Smith of New Brockton, Ms. Bobbie Jo York of Elba and Ms. Tina Watson of Brooklyn, N.Y. Serving as best man was Mr. New Brockton, Mr. Todd Harmon of Elba and Mr. Darron Macon of Elba. Ushers were Mr. Paul

Macon Jr. of Elba and Mr. Byron Willie of Ponchotoula, La. celebrate the couple's union in

Grand Cayman, Cozumel and New

age, Sierra Parker Freeze is being All friends and relatives have a introduced as the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williams of Elba and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Freeze of Manchester, Tenn. Sierra was born Aug. 4, 1999 to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Freeze (Stephanie Williams) of Richmond, Va. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. Sierra was welcomed home by her parents and 2-year-old big sister, Ambrianna. The Freeze family will be bring-

CHARLES BALLARD GRICE Marty and Charla Grice of ing Sierra to Elba for her first visit Navarre, Fla. announce the birth of to Grandmother and Granddaddy's their son, Charles Ballard Grice, on home during the Christmas holi- Oct. 27. He weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz. and was 19 inches long. Proud grandparents are Charles and Freddie Pearce of Elba. Charles Ballard was welcomed home by his brother, Chase, age 5. Elba Study Club tours Pike County Museum recently

The Elba Study Club made a trip to Troy on Tuesday, Nov. 9, to see a tour of the museum, they had dinner at the Schoolhouse Restaurant. Those making the trip included: Nona Cooper, Lynda Biddle, Patsy

........ Deadline



Mr. & Mrs. Lee Coleman honored with reception

On Sunday afternoon, Oct. 31. mother of the groom. Guests were cheese straws, cream puffs and petit newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Lee registered by Robyn Rhoades, fours were served throughout the Following the ceremony, family Hunter Coleman (nee Nalani Leah cousin of the groom. and friends gathered at the Wallet), were honored with a recep-Charleston House in Enterprise to tion at Aunt B's Bed and Breakfast. room table was covered with an sun room where gifts were dis-A heart-shaped wreath hung from Army/Navy cloth. A round silver played. Hostesses for the occasion each of the double-front doors. The tray lined with white net surrounded were: Myrna Cotton, Mrs. Betty all-white satin hearts were decorat- by green fern with two white bows Joyce Ellis, Mrs. Mary Gray, Mrs. departed for a week long cruise to ed with pearls, wedding bells, silk on either side of two love birds Ella Kate Ham, Mrs. Joan Johns. magnolias, and net. An arrange- completed the punch bowl arrange- Mrs. Linda Johns, Mrs. Vernette

Myrna Cotton, aunt of the groom, white silk magnolias, and an assort-

Orleans. The couple resides in ment of white daisies and chrysan-ment. Two burning white pillar Maddox, Mrs. Linda Mills, Mrs. themum decorated the entryway candles in crystal vases sat on either Jean Moore, Mrs. Velma Moore, side of the punch bowl. Greenery, Mrs. Nancy Morrow, Mrs. Liz Murgreeted guests and presented them ment of white burning candles dec-*NEW ARRIVAL: greeted guests and presented them to the bride and groom and Jerry orated the mantle. Punch and party orated the mantle. Punch and party and Kaye Coleman, father and step-dainties of round party sandwiches. Spicer.

afternoon.

Magnolia Home and Garden Club holds November meeting

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with many blue ribbons in both which can be seen at the city played an outstanding exhibit on because "magnolia" has the mean-

Carolyn Brunson and Bette Ham Christmas arts and crafts. In ing "love of nature" and is the hosted the November meeting of explaining how to make each piece, namesake of our club. A handout the Magnolia Home & Garden Club Mrs. Reddock also told of its histo- was given to members for each of on the fourth of the month. They ry and usefulness. Among them the crafts presented. decorated the meeting room with were discharge dying, pine cone art. A donation to the library was cotton angels, coat hanger trees, made in the honor of Mrs. Red-Program Chairman, Addileen sleeve pins, gifts for occasions and dock's visit. Other members

Newman, introduced her sister. crafts from nature. As a special gift attending were Mavis Davis, Miri-Mrs. Virginia Reddock of Pace Fla. to the club, she designed a magnolia am Farris, Syble Hahn, Margaret Mrs. Reddock is a renowned artist from balloons. This special gift. Hasty, Alline Lee, Addie Belle Mar-Alabama and Florida. She dis- library, was really appreciated tin, Ann Miles, Thelma Hudson and

NEW ARRIVAL:

...... The Elba Clipper 417 Buford Street

the Pike County Museum and after Meek, Eleanor Senn, Doris Taylor, Ann Richardson and Charlotte Hobson. At the next meeting at the Elba City Library, the club will decorate the Christmas Tree, Dec.

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adults that simulates the experience

of parenting a young infant.

program also explores the emotion-

ifications of parenting. It is

young adults understand three

important facts about infants. Their

ics Departments.

Junior High Basketball News

by Morgan Hodge On Nov. 1, the Eighth Grade boys played Kinston at Zion Chapel. The score when the game was over was Zion Chapel 23, Kinston 41. The lead scorer for the night was Johnell Brown with 12 points. Jamey White scored 7 points and both Jason Danley and Joshua Roberts added 2 points.

On Nov. 4, the Zion Chapel Junior Varsity teams played Ariton at Zion Chapel. Inessa Wambles was the girls high point person with 12 points and Bertha Scott added 8 points. The final score, after a very intense game, was Zion Chapel 20, Ariton 21. The leading scorer for the Seventh Grade team was T.J. Winters with 6 points. Austin Smith scored 5 points, Hayden Osborn scored 3 pointed, Luke Taylor and Jamie Wise each scored 2 points, and Joshua Smith scored 1 point. The final score was Zion Chapel 19,

Ariton 21. On this night Johnell Brown led the Eighth Grade team to their first win of the season with 16 points. lamey White scored 11 points. Macon Hodge scored 5 points, and Jonah McWaters scored 4 points. Jason Danley added on point for the final score of Zion Chapel 36.



Zion Chapel High School REBEL NEWS Rachel Bryan, Sponsor

Seniors Attend Career Day

designed recruitment literature. with their future. Troy State University had a booklet

named "Discover the New TSU! demands are unpredictable but Representatives from Lurleen Viewbook 2000." This booklet. nonetheless must be met promptly. Burns Wallace State Junior Col- typical of the literature available. They require a great deal of time lege, Wallace College, Troy State explained what is offered at Troy and attention, and the responsibili-Alabama, as well as representatives Hawkins which says, "Troy State wide variety of ways.

oned by Guidance Counselor Pat Seniors who attended this event readout that is taken each day. be brought to class each day where invited guests. The guests were Taylor, attended the event. There had a great opportunity to find out Each grade is worth 100 points and it is checked to see if it is kept up to served ham and cheese finger sandthey had the opportunity to talk to what was available as they move the first is labeled as "Abuse, date, Comments must be recorded wiches, link sausage and frankthe representatives from the col- toward graduation from high Neglect, and Unattended Crying." on most entries and if the parent is furters cooked in barbecue sauce leges and universities represented school and begin to make definite This grade comes from recordings "working" the names of baby-sitters and jelly, peanut butter balls covand pick up copies of specially decisions about what each will do of rough handling, occurrences of must be indicated. The baby-sitters ered with chocolate, strawberry



Pictured above are (l-r): Nichole Mitchell, Rebecca Ward, Christie Roberts, Kristie Hall, Vanessa Liptrot, and Charles Spears.

University, Jacksonville State University. It begins with a ties of parenting will change a diaper bag must be brought to class. They are reminded that their baby versity and the University of South message from Chancellor Jack teen's lifestyle profoundly and in a each day. The third grade comes should not be left unattended on in from the fact that the baby's arm- a dangerous situation. from other institutions of higher University provides her students Since the project is a required band, tending probe, and electronic At the end of the "Baby Think It learning, were present at the Career with a great education, wonderful project of the Parenting class, the box shows no evidence of tamper- Over Project", the members of the Day held for area high school social outlets and memories to last entire project counts four grades. ing. Tampering also incurs a mone-third period Parenting Class, seniors. The activity was held in a lifetime." The booklet continues The babies are life size babies that tary fine. The fourth grade is instructed by Mrs. Joan Hobbs, held the Student Union at Enterprise with descriptions of the TSU acad- contain an internal computer which derived from a log of experiences. a baby shower to celebrate the comemic curriculum, student life, athrecords treatment received. The This log must be turned in at the pletion of the project. Mrs. Sharon Zion Chapel's seniors, chaper- letics, and student organizations. grades are derived from a computer end of the project, but it must also Sasser and Mrs. Rachel Bryan were

neglect, and unattended crying. have to make notations in the log cobbler, and orange punch. the return of a clean baby in good and comments. baby, its carrier, its clothes, and its ble for the safety of their baby. trot, and Charles Spears.

Students Cut Red Ribbon Promo Tapes

The second grade is derived from about crying times, interruptions, Members of the class who were available for a picture were Nichole condition, with all of its equipment Students involved in this project Mitchell, Rebecca Ward, Christie intact, at the end of the project. The are reminded that they are responsi-Roberts, Kristie Hall, Vanessa Lip-

ZC Team Competes In Energy Bowl

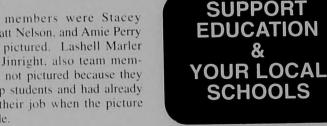
Energy Bowl is a team competition sponsored each year by Alabama Power. The team is composed of four members and one alternate. Team members are selected and given a packet of information each year in September. This year the information packet contained fourteen pamphlets on such topics as Fusion, Coal, Ethanol, Superconductivity, Decommissioning Nuclear Plants, Photovoltaic cells, and Mining & Our Environment. Team members study the information on their own time. Mrs. Jackie Jinright, team sponsor, said, "These students really deserve a lot of credit. They receive no grade for this. Instead they get a feeling of self-satisfaction when they do well



Pictured above (l-r) are: Stacy Cape, Matt Nelson, and Amie Perry

in the competition. Our students rial during their own time. Not are approximately 20 teams that placed ninth in the competition, and many students would have done compete.

I was very proud of them. They that." The competition was held at Team members were Stacey worked very hard on difficult mate- Landmark Park in Dothan. There Cape, Matt Nelson, and Amie Perry who are pictured. Lashell Marler and Jill Jinright, also team members, are not pictured because they SUPPORT REBEL BASKETBALL are co-op students and had already left for their job when the picture was made.



Cellular phone safety tips for use in your car are issued by the Cellular phone Industry (CTIA)

from wireless phones.

Telecommunications Industry Asso- Coffee County are reported ciation (CTIA) for safely using your wireless phones while driving. •Get to know your wireless phone and its feature such as speed dial and redial. •Let the person you are speaking

with know you are driving; if necessary, suspend the call in heavy traffic or hazardous weather condi-

·Position your wireless phone within easy reach. ·When available, use a hands free

device. •Do not take notes or look up phone numbers while driving. •Do not engage in stressful or emo-

The wireless phone is one of the your attention from the road.

Red Ribbon Weeks, members of

he Zion Chapel Elementary Stu-

lent Government Association, with

the cooperation of the staff and

nanagement of WZTZ, cut promo

While at the radio station, the

students were given a guided tour

and were shown how things work

at the modern station which also

There several other activities

held at the school encouraging stu-

tapes urging everyone to maintain

drug free environment.

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911 or other emergency numbers 901-SAFE or visit the Web site at www.wow-com.com. To maximize your safety, considr these tips from the Cellular Child Find activities for

> tem is in the process of identifying old children with disabilities. If you are the parent of a child with disabilities or know of someone who is disabled, please contact

the Special Education Coordina-Board of Education at 897-5016. tional conversations that may divert appropriate services can be provid-

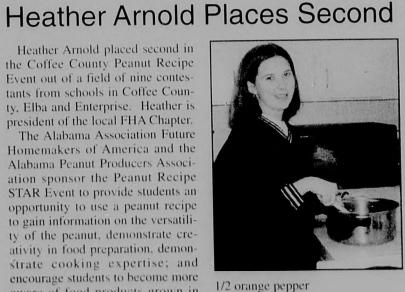
the Coffee County Peanut Recipe greatest safety devices since 911. For more safety information, you Over 98,000 calls are made daily to can call the CTIA toll-free at 1-888tants from schools in Coffee County, Elba and Enterprise. Heather is president of the local FHA Chapter. The Alabama Association Future Homemakers of America and the Alabama Peanut Producers Associ-The Coffee County School Sys- STAR Event to provide students an

ation sponsor the Peanut Recipe opportunity to use a peanut recipe all persons with disabilities, ages 3- to gain information on the versatili-21 years, who are not enrolled in an ty of the peanut, demonstrate creeducational setting, and all 0-3 year ativity in food preparation, demonstrate cooking expertise; and encourage students to become more aware of food products grown in Alabama. the principal of your local school or
The event is open to active FHA. HERO or FHA/HERO combined

tor's office at the Coffee County chapter members in grades 7-12 who are or have been enrolled in a It is important that all persons family and consumer sciences, with disabilities be identified so occupational or training program which includes related class peanuts instruction. Each local chapter can have one entry in the county event. A main dish which includes peanuts or peanut butter and peanut oil may be entered. The recipe must state the specific product or products used. Dishes not considered a main dish are disqualified. in microwave on high power until The dish is prepared and then is tender. (4) Prepare sauce by mixbrought to the place of judging. ing sugar, ginger, soy sauce, corn-The dish can be heated or can be kept cool prior to the judging. Heather recipe for Stir Fry Surprise is as follows: 1/2 lb. sirloin tip steak

1/2 green pepper

1/2 cup peanut oil



2 T. soy sauce

1 t. cornstarch

1/2 cup water

1/2 t. ginger

1/2 cup onions, sliced

I t. sugar

Meat tenderizer, optional

lettuce, for garnish

1/2 cup mushrooms, sliced1 cup

(1) Cut sirloin tips into 1/4-inch

strips. (2) Saute' beef in oil until

brown; drain. (3) Cook vegetables

starch, and water and heat in

microwave three minutes or until

thick. (5) Stir fry meat and vegeta-

bles for two minutes. (6) Pour the

sauce over meat. (7) Add peanuts.

(8) Stir and garnish with peppers

and lettuce. (9) Serve on a bed of

Pictured above are (l-r): front row - Matthew Williams, Anna Wilson, Joey

White, and Todd Grant; back row - Buddy Parker, Derrick Snellgrove

John Wayne Lambert, Brooke Stinson, and Summer Parker.

Presidential Classroom

Compared to the contract of th

DC this winter.

Miss Boyd will join hundreds of top student leaders from around the world and across the nation in Washington for a behind-the-scenes look at federal government. Presidential Classroom scholars take part in seminars presented by leaders representing each branch of Igovernment, the military, media and business. Students are scheduled for a tour of the White House, nd Representatives' offices and a

isit to a foreign embassy. utp:/www.presidentialclassroom.or

Tiger Tales



TIGER BRIEFS

Junior T-shirts Delivered at Elba High

This week's Co-op spotlight Trick or Treat

focuses on Wesley Sykes. Wesley by Amy Kirkland is employed at Kleinert's of Alaba- Imagine being in a foreign country and taking part in a traditional holiday. not real; however, what effect is it In a cordes and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchange students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchanges the property of the students at EHS, track lenders and Janaina (Jackie) Oliveira, two exchanges the property of the students at EHS, Wesley is the son of Joey and and Jackie, from Brazil, said that they had always heard of an American started hosting "backyard brawls" Denise Walden and is a senior at holiday called Halloween. Both thought it sounded fun and interesting, so for entertainment. People gather Elba High. He is a member of when they got the opportunity to celebrate by going trick-or-treating, they and watch as if these brawls are a FBLA and VICA. His future plans took it. Mrs. Lynn Weeks, EHS counselor and teacher, went with the girls real sporting event. The issue that Mr. Leroy Carnley. Mr. Carnley are to attend McArthur State Tech- to several houses, and they enjoyed trick-or-treating very much. While makes this serious is that these kids attended Kinston High School. He nical College and major in Heat- they can't take Halloween home with them, they can take the memories of ing, Ventilation, and Air-condition- celebrating it while in the U.S.

Homecoming '99

by Emilee Qualls

ing/Refrigeration (HVAC/R).

Wesley Sykes

by Natasha Bannin

School. because it was dress up week. At nights, students could be found working on class and club floats to be judged in the Homecoming

SGA sponsored a wall decoratng contest where all the grade levels and clubs decorated a wall to be

The winners of the floats were: 1st place -10th grade float with "Surf the Redtops."; 2nd place -8th grade float with "Are you Fishing for Red Snapper"; and the 3rd place winner - 9th grade with "Tiger Attack." Category two winners were 1st place the Elba Termite Team, 2nd place was the Elba Elementary School Kindergarten and the 3rd place winner was Terry

Spicer's float. The excitement went even further when the Elba Tigers won their game against the Slocomb Red Tops. Homecoming '99 has surely been an exciting but yet



Vaughan Boyd awarded academic scholarship to

Presidential Classroom, the nation's leading civic education organization, awarded Vaughan Boyd, of New Brockton, a scholarship for academic excellence. Currently a senior at Elba High School, Miss Boyd was one of one hundred students from around the country selected to receive the Presidential dClassroom Academic Scholarship to attend a one-week Presidential Classroom program in Washington,

> weird being back in the elementary pointments with their Senators'

For information on how to pecome a Presidential Classroom Scholar, please call toll-free 1-800-441-6533 or visit our web site at

SCHOOLS

by Cammie Kelley

Youself!

There was much excitement in the halls of Elba High School on Thursday, and enraged? Would they vent their it is amusing. Oct. 28. The Junior class finally received their class T-shirts. The juniors anger by "powerbombing" their I interviewed different students, dren that it is not real. Of course, it held a meeting and came up with a shirt idea. The shirts were light blue. friend, parent, or teacher? Has any-On the front it says, "Class of 2001, Need we say more?" The back reads, one told children that this is make-simply asked. "Do you like aggressive; however, so is football. "I don't think the world is ready for us." The juniors were their shirts believe? Are children aware that wrestling and why?" Here are Elba Wrestling can be summed up like proudly on Monday, Nov. 1.

got to experience this situation on Saturday, Oct. 30. Tina, from Germany, real and intriguing? Teenagers have

Katie Vaughan, daughter of Mark and Candace Vaughan, and Cammie Kelley, daughter of Jerry and Theresa Kelley, are going to have a very special Thanksgiving vacation this year. They are traveling to New York to Homecoming week has surely march in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade along with girls from all gone out with a bang. Many excit-over the United States. Katie and Cammie will be in New York for six ing things happened during this days and will sightsee during the day and practice for the parade at night. week to the students at Elba High Among some of the sights they will see are the Statue of Liberty, the Smithsonian Museum, they will go ice-skating in Rockefeller Plaza and During the whole week, students will see the Radio City Rockets. Katie and Cammie are both very excited dressed up differently every day and invite everyone to watch them in the parade on Thanksgiving Day.

EES: The Chosen One

The students and faculty at Elba entitled Drive for Excellence. The Elementary School are all very purpose was to generate excitement proud to have their school chosen and pride in the community, bring as a Literacy Demonstration Site by international attention to Alabama the Alabama Reading Initiative. through the presence of Mercedes BES was selected last January. in the state, and to raise funds for This selection provided the oppor- two designated charities. The charitunity for the entire staff to attend ties selected to receive funds raised two weeks of intense training in during the event were Kid One

are seeing great amounts of ma Reading Initiative. progress towards the goal of 100 On Saturday, Nov. 6, an M-Class DeNean Pound of Elba. He is a percent literacy as a result of this Challenge was held at Talledega, a freshman here at Elba High training and the involvement in the special family event at the Tallede-Reading Initiative.

ga Super Alabama Reading Initia- brother, Daniel Myers. There are eighty Literacy tive. There was a tent to showcase Demonstration Sites across the the Literacy Demonstration Sites. Calif. and has lived in Fairfield. state of Alabama. More sites will Elba Elementary School was one of Calif., Boise, Idaho, and Elba, Ala. be added each year in order to the sites featured. eventually have all public schools On Nov. 7, people were given a in the state involved in the Alaba- behind-the-scenes look at the Mercedes Factory and Visitor Center at

ma Reading Initiative.

Mercedes-Benz has honored the Vance. Alabama Reading Initiative. On CONGRATULATIONS Nov. 5-7, Mercedes held an event

Eighth Grade Goes to Kindergarten

Mrs. Donna Clark and the eighth of when I was in Kindergarten. grade pre-vocational class visited They are really creative at their strong will to succeed. the Elba Elementary Kindergarten work, and I think they will be a classes to help with "pumpkin good class in high school." activities." They did this as an Ricky Marler: "It was fun to help FHA/FCCLA project and to experithe kindergartners make pumpkins, ence working with children. Each and I had a good time." student was assigned to a kinder- Christy Eubanks: "I helped in garten class where they assisted the Mrs. Grantham's class. I was surteacher and students with such prised at how well behaved and activities as: guessing the weight of intelligent they were just to be in the pumpkin, measuring the dis- kindergarten." tance around it, guessing how many ridges were on the pumpkin, playing pin-the-mouth on the

lantern. The eighth grade students enjoyed spending time with the kindergartners. Some of their com-Jimmy Coleman: "The children were smart and intelligent." Blake Brunson: "Working with the kindergartners and seeing them smile made me feel good about

pumpkin, and carving a jack-o-

myself. It's fun to see their smiling faces look up at us and know they Mary Katherine Head: "It was fun working with the kids, and I enjoyed it a lot. Yet, it seemed

Shonda Morris: "It was great helping Mrs. C. Vaughan and her sweet students. It was very generous of her to let us help. Thanks, it

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Bobby Ordon: "It was real nice, and I hope we get to go back." Zachary Odom: " I loved going back to the elementary school because it brought back memories

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lar in the last year. Many people chairs for fun. They are simply not like to hear them talk their junk." anxiously wait for Monday night. concerned with the fact that bodys- Alex Benbow- "I don't like WWF Raw is extremely exciting to lamming is dangerous. They get an wrestling; it's just too fake."

Wrestling: Fake or Fabulous?

are not trained wrestlers. They Ben.'

Wrestling has become very popupunch, kick, and hit other kids with Coach Weeks-"I like wrestling. I

many ages. Talking trash, slinging adrenaline rush from this and are Derrick Brooks- "I like wrestling chairs, and bodyslamming are just a not concerned with the dangers of because it's fun to watch. It's a lot few characteristics of wrestling, this imitation. Violence is again shown through On the other hand, it is a very Cassius Wilson- "I like wrestling this popular sport. Is this healthy? unusual and different sport. The because it's a very aggressive Many teens have already begun wrestlers are trained professionals, sport. to imitate their favorite wrestling and they know the art extremely Mrs. Griggs- "No, I don't like stars. They demonstrate their well. Wrestling has been around for wrestling. It's too fake!" favorite moves to their friends at many years; however, the wrestling Jaquinta Knighton- "I like school. Sure, they are just admiring craze began about a year ago. Many wrestling because I get to see so "superstars" but, what would hap- viewers see it as a fun sporting many fine men." pen if a child stepped out of their event. Most audiences are aware Wrestling is a very controversial childlike world and became angry that it is fake and watch it because sport. You either like it or you

hitting someone with a chair or div- High students' and teachers' this: "Different strokes for different

ing onto someone can lead to seri- replies: ous injury or death? Wrestling can Sara Purvis- "I love wrestling. I suits you?" be humorous if one knows that it is like to learn moves so I can beat up

like a soap opera.'

This week's teacher spotlight is in LaGrange, Ga., and Troy State Jump In Jump University where he received his Masters in Special Education. Mr. Out & Introduce Carnley has been teaching for five years and teaches Specific Learning Disabilities at Elba High. Coach Carnley also coaches the Varsity Girls Basketball team and the Junior Varsity Volleyball team. He and his wife, Janet, have three children: Leeanna Janae, 8; Leroy Jake, 5; and Landon Jay.

months. When asked what he like most about teaching, he responded, The fact that every student has potential and finding ways each administration, faculty, community day to reach that potential." He also and the 'atmosphere' is his favorite states that, "The support of the thing about Elba."



don't. It is important to inform chil-

folks." Wrestling: "Which view

Leroy Carnley

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Richard was born in Stockton,

After high school, he plans to

attend Troy State University to

become a marine biologist. He is a

member of the Varsity Tigers Foot-

ball Team, FCA, and FBLA. He

enjoys playing baseball and read-

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Frances Taylor Bannon, former reunion is held annually the second third grade teacher, was given a Saturday in October.

PicturedDollie Jacobs Moore, Frances Taylor Bannon, Billy King, Christine Wilson Knudson, Roland Cowen and Max Anderson at Curtis School

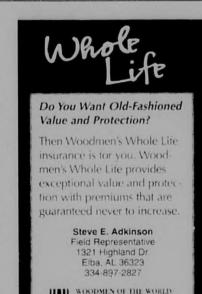
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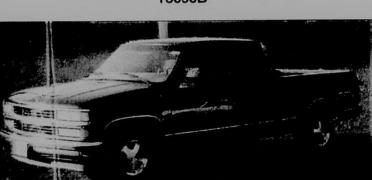
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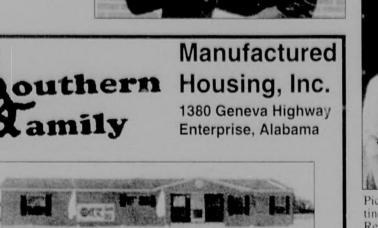


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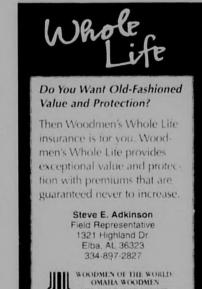
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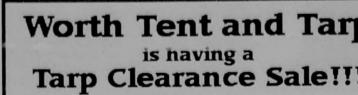
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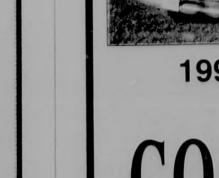


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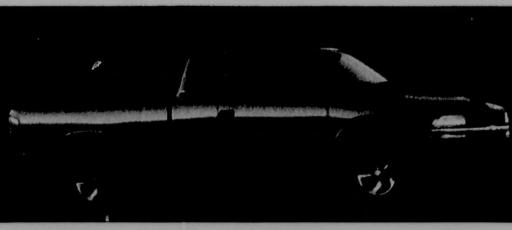


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THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor set of Tigers that take the field Saturday afternoon.

don't mind, and help out around the house, either. This time of the year *** Tennessee Athletic Director Doug Dickey was in Mobile last week playoffs as took place Friday night. The local guesspert just scratched his Hey, maybe they aren't too old to threaten with losing some gifts if they that they know they can be beaten. isn't so bad after all!

C, B & T TOURNAMENT ALREADY ONE OF STATE'S BEST

few years old, it is already one of the state's top high school events. This coach is right, many high school kids today would rather get a job and were on their way to a state championship when they met the Brantley year 12 boys teams and 8 girls teams will battle for the tourney titles, and make money, or just sit and watch, instead of making the sacrifice required Bulldogs in the playoffs. This season the shoe is on the other foot, and it is over the course of four days a total of 21 games will be played at the New to play sports. One thing is for certain, if the high school programs contin-Brockton gym, with 9 games to be played at Kinston. The tournament has ue to falter, the college programs will soon be in trouble, also. both a winner's bracket and a consolation bracket, which means every *** I don't agree with Blount coach Cornelius Brown's statement that BRANTLEY 43 FLORALA 20 team is guaranteed two games, and the winners of both the winner's his team's forfeit loss to Shelby County was racially motivated. However, I bracket and the consolation bracket in the boys event could play as many do agree that in this case the punishment did not fit the crime. Blount was OTHER PICKS: even busier, with six of the eight teams guaranteed to play three games week when it was discovered that two Blount players were not listed on the R.E. Lee 21 Theodore 13 take place. If not, just show up at the New Brockton gym just about any

Athletic Association. Both players were academically eligible to play and

Williamson 34 Valley 13 time next week and you will get to see high school basketball action!

teams in the tournament could very well play each other in the opening round when the Elba Tigers and Enterprise Wildcats tangle Tuesday afternoon at 4:30. The winner of this opening round game should be considered the heavy favorite to win the tourney, especially when you look and see G.W. Long and Florala are also in the lower part of the bracket. The top part of the bracket has only one team that posted a winning record last year (New Brockton), and it should be a cake walk for the New Brockton Gamecocks to make it to the finals.

The girls brackets is also lopsided, with New Brockton, Elba and G.W. Long in the top of the bracket, while Ariton appears to be the only team in the bottom to have any chance at all in taking the title. The winner of the Elba-G.W. Long opener should make the finals against Ariton, but one thing is for sure, all the girls teams will get plenty of early-season action, since six of the eight teams will play three games. If you are a true high school basketball fan, the turkey may have to take

a back seat next week!

BRANTLEY STAYS ALIVE IN PLAYOFFS, GAMECOCKS OUSTED

The second round of the high school football playoffs was held last week, and locally the Brantley Bulldogs continued their march to what many think will be a second straight state championship with a big 39-14 win over Autaugaville, while the New Brockton Gamecocks were shown the way out of the post-season party with a 41-13 loss to Reeltown. Here's

mick look back.. *** BRANTLEY (12-0) hit the road to Autauga County and came last week and found the going a lit- C.H.M.S. (49): Barnes 8, home still very much alive in the 1A playoff race with a big 39-14 win tle too tough as the boys and girls Carlisle 10, Money 9, Brown 2, over Autaugaville. The Bulldogs could have been flat after Autaugaville teams combined to drop five of six Hodges 4, Lewis 8, Sile r 8. ousted second-ranked Notasulga in a Round 1 upset, but that wasn't the decisions. case as the Bulldogs showed the Eagles what the difference was between The week's action ended with the 5, Thigpen 17, Sutley 2, Hall 2. being #1 and #2. Bo Daniels and Darrell Owens both had big nights run- 8th grade boys owning a 5-1 9TH GRADE GIRLS ning the football, while the Bulldog defense continued to flex its muscles. record, followed by the 7th grade It was a big win on the road, and one in which the Bulldogs got a chance boys at 4-1, 9th grade girls 2-2 and DAUPHIN 44 to try out most of their weapons, if just for practice.

*** NEW BROCKTON (5-7) was picked by many to win its second round battle against Reeltown, but the Gamecocks saw their second half week's action: magic fizzle out Friday night as they were clubbed 41-13 by the visiting 8TH GRADE BOYS Rebels. The Gamecocks appeared to be simply going through the motions on offense in the first half and only moved the chains twice in two quar- ELBA 37 ters, then in the second half seemed to wear down on defense under the DAUPHIN 36 constant pounding of the Reeltown running game. The Gamecocks overcame numerous injuries to key performers and had to teach many youngsters how to play in actual games just to win the area and get past the opening round of the playoffs, and Friday night it looked like the Gamecocks simply ran out of gas.

SURPRISES CONTINUE IN ROUND TWO OF PREP PLAYOFFS

The second round of the state high school football playoffs was held last week, and once again the games were filled with surprises. Here's a quick look back at Round Two of the playoffs...

*** CLASS 6A - Two former football powers moved on into quarterfinal action when Lanier upset Daphne 26-23 and Robert E. Lee stunned Opelika 14-3, while Vigor was knocked out of the playoffs in a 22-12 upset loss to Theodore. Only unbeaten Alma Bryant survived the rash of upsets in the South with a narrow 17-14 win over McGill-Toolen. Up north, Coach Joey Jones' Mt. Brook team rolled along undefeated with a 31-23 win over Vestavia Hills.

*** CLASS 5A - Shelby County won its protest over Blount on Mon- ELBA 25 day and then scored late Friday night to edge past Opp 22-21. The rest of the bracket in 5A went pretty much as expected, with Eufaula slipping past Stanhope-Elmore 28-23, in the top game of round two.

*** CLASS 4A - Tallassee followed up its whipping of Dale County School pulled ahead early and led the third quarter, and took the loss. with a 31-0 romp past Dadeville, and it looks like the Tigers may be a con- all the way to post a 37-25 win. tender, after all. Geneva stumbled a bit before getting past a solid Greensboro club 22-6, while St. Paul's and Jemison both made it look easy. In the upper half of the state, Deshler kept on winning with a 56-14 romp past extend its lead to 28-17 by the end C.H.M.S. (3:5): Brundidge 2,

*** CLASS 3A - Aliceville surprised St. James 29-22 for the only upset in the 3A ranks, while UMS-Wright and Briarwood continued to roll along with easy wins. Springville edged past Colbert County 28-27, in doubleovertime, to grab the headlines up north.

*** CLASS 2A - Wicksburg saw its undefeated season end abruptly with a 35-0 loss to defending state champ Southern Choctaw, while Geneva County got wiped out by Maplesville 38-7 and New Brockton fell hard to Reeltown 41-13. The only area team to survive was Highland Home, which slipped past Houston County 13-7. Lineville and Hazlewood continued their march toward a semi-final clash with easy wins up in the 7TH GRADE BOYS northern part of the state.

*** CLASS 1A - G.W. Long edged past Wadley 8-0 and Brantley blast- C.H.M.S. 49 ed Autaugaville 39-14 to continue along undefeated, while Florala and ELBA 28 Loachapoka continued to be the surprise teams in the 1A ranks with big wins. Up north, American Christian outscored Hubbertville 69-49, and has to be considered a favorite.

ONCE OVER....NOT ALWAYS SO EASY

*** I watched every single play of the Alabama win over Mississippi State over the weekend, and have to admit that I was impressed with the Tide's effort on defense. The Bama defense bottled up the State running game throughout the game, and showed that it was tough enough to go head-to-head with the huge Bulldog linemen. I thought Andrew Zow had a terrible game, but the offense did score enough points to get the win. Zow will have to play much better for the Tide to have a chance this week down on the Plains, and the defense will have to play just as good, if not better. It was a very big win. However, I still think Mississippi State is the most over-rated team in the SEC, if not the nation.

*** Auburn apparently put it all together in the Tigers shocking win over Georgia. The Tigers had been making excuses all season long when

night they ripped the 'Dawgs apart. I know that Georgia was not the best ers on the eligibility list, and after being defeated in the opening roun team Auburn had played, but it still took a stellar effort from a whole lot of called it to the state's, attention. I know that rules are rules, but I also players and coaches to post such an impressive win on the road. All of the believe that there are exceptions to every rule, and since the players met a sudden it looks like Tommy's Tigers may be favored to continue their dom-

weeks Mom and Dad have an excuse not to go when the girls ask if they been rolling along all season long and had made winning look easy, but can go to the Mall and do some shopping. Melissa thinks she needs at they may have been reading their own press clippings a little too much, and PROGNOSTICATOR PLODS THROUGH PLAYOFF PICKINGS least one new pair of jeans and a shirt every other week, while Melanie forgot that games are won on the field, and not based upon what is written makes certain she gets equal attention whenever big sister gets anything. It will be interesting to see how the Trojans bounce back now

Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator stopped by Sunday morning and said he

time college football programs tended to diminish the profile of high informed that his yearly totals now stood at 265-73. He didn't seem very school football in some metropolitan areas, and declared it was "not confident with this week's picks, but did leave'em, and here they are.... healthy" for the future of the high school game. Dickey stated that while The C, B and T Invitational Basketball Tournament will take place next high school football was a vital part of the American way of life, its imporweek at New Brockton and Kinston, and although the tourney is only a tance had declined in recent years among high school students. The former Last year the Florala Wildcats were undefeated and convinced that they

as four games over the four days of the tournament. The girls tourney is forced to forfeit its opening round playoff win over Shelby County last Alma Bryant 17 Lanier 14 during the event. If you can read a bracket you will understand what will team's eligibility report that had been sent to the Alabama High School Eufaula 28 Shelby County 14 met all other requirements, but their names were not listed with the state on Tallassee 24 St. Paul's 21 Taking a look at the boys brackets, it looks like possibly the top two the necessary paperwork. Apparently the coaches at Shelby County noticed Geneva 21 Jemison 15

All Coffee County teams to take part

inance of Alabama on the Plains. One things for sure, it will be a different the state to hand down. I just hope that Blount High School and the Alaba ma High School Athletic Association will both learn from this incident, and *** Troy State saw its #1 ranking slip away with a big loss to McNeese Make improvements to their organizations just in case another team some Christmas is just around the corner, and that means for the next five State on Saturday night, down in Lake Charles, Louisiana. The Trojans had where down the line makes a mistake that is as innocent as was this one.

could not believe that there were as many upsets in the second round of the speaking to the "1st and 10 Club," and stated that the high intensity of big-head when told of his 10-4 slate for the week, but did smile a little when

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UMS-Wright 27 Aliceville 25 Briarwood 21 Trinity 3 Southern Choctaw 28 Highland Home 7 Maplesville 41 Reeltown 6 Loachapoka 22 G.W. Long 20

At New Brockton,

3:30 - G.W. Long vs. Florala-Ariton

Twenty prep teams entered in C, B & T Thanksgiving basketball tournament

The C, B and T Thanksgiving New Brockton, Ashford, Kinston, repeat as the boys champions, while Invitational Basketball Tournament Houston County, Elba, Enterprise, the G.W. Long Lady Rebels will be TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 will be held next week at both the Florala, Ariton, Rehobeth, Samson, looking for their second straight At New Brockton, New Brockton High School and Zion Chapel and G.W. Long, while girls title. Kinston High School gyms, with a girls teams taking part include New The tournaments will include a 3:00 - Florala vs. Ariton

total of 12 boys teams and 8 girls Brockton, Rehobeth, Elba, G.W. winner's bracket and a consolation 4:30 - Elba vs. Enterprise teams competing for the coveted Long, Zion Chapel, Samson, Kin- bracket, which will give all teams a 6:00 - Kinston vs. Houston County ston and Ariton. Boys teams competing include The Elba Tigers wi'll seek to bly give a team that is defeated in Elba Junior Tigers stumble during

another busy week on hardwood The Elba Junior High Tiger bas- to lead Elba, while Carlisle led ketball teams nit the court twice

ELBA 30

Following are highlights of last The Elba 9th grade Lady Tigers

8th grade girls 0-3.

escape from Enterprise with an in taking the loss. exciting 37-36 win over Dauphin Ayonna Proctor scored 10 points Junior High. The Tigers trailed 25- to lead Elba, while Franklin scored 23 heading into the final stanza, but 13 for Dauphin. rallied late to post the win.

and Kirby Gray added 9 to lead Robinson 9, Johns 4. tress scored 10 to lead Dauphin. Kilcrease 2, Chism 4, Tyson 9. Elba (37): Curran 2, Dye 4, Gray 8TH GRADE GIRLS 9, Horstead 4, Hill 2, Reed 10, Daniels 2, Thigpen 4.

Dauphin (36): Hill 14, Jones 4, ELBA 17 Peters 4, Ventress 10, Etheridge 4.

intermission, saw Henderson Henderson with 10. caught up in taking the loss.

to lead Elba, while Hooten scored Lawford 3, Allen 2, Gibson 3, 14 for Henderson. C.H.M.S. (37): Kyle 10, Hooten 14, Boykin 5, Suddith 5, Clower 1, DAUPHIN 22.

Van Horn 2.

The Elba 8th grade Tigers saw lenged in taking the big loss. Henderson, of Troy.

heading into the final stanza, but Patrick 6. Jessie Thigpen scored 17 points

ball until Friday, November 19, at Recreation 1 at 897-6833. 5:00 PM. Teams will be chosen the

The Lady Tigers fell behind 18-6

never got any closer as they took Elba (12): Carlile 2, Thigpen 4, Eubanks 2, Allen 2, Gibson 2.

Youth basketball registration extended until Nov.19

The Elba Department of Parks following week, with practice to it has extended the deadline for ber. For n ore information call the

guarantee of two games, and possi- 7:30 - New Brockton vs. Ashford the opening round a chance to play WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

The tournament will begin on Girls Tournament Tuesday, Nov.23, with four boys 11:00 - Elba vs. G.W. Long games set to be played in New 12:30 - New Brockton vs. Rehobeth Brockton, while on Wednesday, Boys Tournament Nov. 24, New Brockton will host 2:00 - Samson vs. 1 two boys games and two girls County winner games, and Kinston will also host 3:30 - Rehobeth vs. New Brocktontwo boys games and two girls Ashford winner Elba (28): Harrelsor 2, Skinner games. After taking Thursday off At Kinston, for Thanksgiving, the action will Girls Tournament resume on Friday with five games 11:00 - Zion Chapel vs. Samson at both New Brockton and Kinston. 12:30 - Kinston vs. Ariton Saturday's action will include a Boys Tournament total of eight games, with all games 2:00 - Zion Chapel vs. Elba-Enterto be played at the New Brockton prise winner

High School gym. Following are the pairings for the winner opening two rounds of action:

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Kinston at Zion Chapel (JVB-VG-VB) 5:00

Kinston at New Brockton (7B-9G-8B) 4:00

Enterprise at New Brockton (9G-9B) 5:00

New Brockton at G.W. Long (8B) 3:30

Elba at Charles Henderson (7B-8G-8B) 5:00

Change

Goes In.

New Brockton at Ariton (9G-9B) 5:00

Enterprise at Elba (8G-8B) 5:00

C, B & T Tournament, New Brockton

McKenzie at Zion Chapel (JVB-VG-VB) 5:00

C, B & T Tournament, New Brockton and Kinston

Friday, November 19

Tuesday, November 23

JUNIOR HIGH

Wednesday, November 24

Thursday, November 18

Friday, November 19

Monday, November 22

Tuesday, November 23

Elba at Opp (7B-8G-8B) 4:30

fell behind in the second quarter and never recovered in a 44-30 loss to Dauphin, of Enterprise. The Lady Tigers were tied at 9-9 **BASKETBALL SCHEDULES** after one quarter, but 'went in at the The Elba 8th graders staged a half trailing 32-13 after a disastrous furious fourth quarter rally to second quarter and ne ver recovered

Dauphin (44): Br own 2, Butler Marchello Reed scored 10 points 8, Franklin 13, Rogers 4, Jones 4, Elba, while Hill scored 14 and Ven- Elba (30): Proctor 10, Ware 5,

C.H.M.S. 35

The Elba 8th gra de Lady Tigers fell behind early and never recovered in a 35-17 loss to Charles Henderson Middle School, of Troy. The Elba 8th grade Tigers The Lady Tigers; fell behind 8-2 dropped their first game of the sea- in the opening s tanza, saw the son as Charles Henderson Middle deficit grow to 33-11 by the end of Ayonna Procto r scored 6 points The Tigers fell behind 17-9 at to lead Elba, while Wingard led

of the third quarter, and never Harvey 2, Lilbur ton 6, Wingard 10, Gilbert 8, Johnso n 7. Marchello Reed scored 15 points Elba (17): Pr octor 6, Carlile 1,

Reynolds 2.

ELBA 12 Elba (25): Gray 6, Horstead 4, The Elba 8t h grade Lady Tigers fell behind early and never challenged in a 21!-12 loss to Dauphin,

after three quarters and never chaltheir early-season winning streak Teneisha T higpen scored 4 points stopped in a 49-28 loss to Charles to lead Elb a, while Wilson led Dauphin with a 8. The Tigers rallied from a 24-12 Dauphin (22): Langston 2, Wilhalftime deficit to pull within 30-21 son 8, Warren 2, Chambers 4,

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SPORTS

Ousted from 2A grid playoffs

Brockton bounced by Reeltown 41-13

By Josh Lewis, Sportswriter

The New Brockton Gamecocks unable to take advantage of the aw their run through the Class 2A turnover; however, and the scoring ootball playoffs hit a dead end Fri- opportunity went by the board when ay night when the Reeltown on fourth down a faked field-goal Rebels came to town and turned six attempt was stopped all the way Gamecock turnovers into four back at the Reeltown 29-yardline. Rebel touchdowns en route to an A long Reeltown punt penned the

The loss left the Gamecocks with ry late in the half, and the Rebels

New Brockton's Adrian Grimes (56) tries to get past two McCormick (68). The Gamecocks were defeated by ReelGamecocks up deep in their territo-

cocks up at the Rebel 14-yardline.

The Gamecock offense was

Rebels advanced to the third round Brockton from running out the of the playoffs with a 6-6 record. clock before the Rebels could get Neither team could move the another chance to add to their lead. football early in the game as both The Rebels got the ball at the defenses dominated the action, and Gamecock 44-yardline with 1:11 it was the Reeltown defense that set left in the half, and mixed in the run up the first score of the night when and pass to quickly move the ball the Rebels pounced on a fumble at downfield, L.A. O'Neal scored the the New Brockton 35-yardline. Reeltown touchdown with just :22 It took Reeltown six plays to remaining in the half, and while the over the distance to the endzone, two-point pass fell incomplete, the down and two, when Joe Mack a 12-0 advantage.

town 41-13 in the second round of the 2A football playoffs.

stall a wich a light stall be gametown punt attempt set the Gamestraight plays, and bulled over from High school football playoffs move into

final record of 5-7, while the used two time-outs to prevent New

with the score coming on fourth Rebels went in at intermission with Hutcherson broke loose and raced New Brockton brought its fans to 12 yards for the score. The two- their feet as the second half opened point try failed, but with 11:55 left when Jason McKenzie fielded the in the second quarter the Rebels second half kickoff at the 10-yardwere on the board with a 6-0 lead. line, cut across the field and raced Reeltown blockers to apply pressure as a Rebel pass sails over New Brockton failed to generate 78 yards to set the Gamecocks up at his helmet. Also applying pressure for the Gamecocks is Jody any offense in the second quarter, the Reeltown 12-yardline. Pate Harbut got a break midway through the rison butted heads with the middle stanza when a high snap on a Reel- of the Rebel defense on three

two yards out on his third run to put New Brockton on the scoreboard. Andre Flowers booted the extrapoint, and with 10:47 left in the third round with 48 teams still in title hunt third quarter the Gamecocks had pulled within 12-7, and the New Brockton fans were hoping that their team had once again found the Courtland (6-6) at Carrollton (6-6), second half magic that had carried the Gamecocks to a number of exciting wins during the season.

state's six classifications still alive Deshler (11-1) at Carbon Hill (12- Following are results from last The New Brockton defense came up with a big play midway through the quarter when Kellen Cole pounced on a Rebel fumble at the all quarter-final games, with all UMS-Wright (9-3) at Aliceville (9- Alma Bryant 17 McGill-Toolen 14 Gamecock 23-yardline, but the Gamecocks gave the ball right back on a fumble of their own, and this time the Rebels marched into the Cory Smith capped off the scoring drive with a 13-yard touchdown run, and the Rebels tacked on the

two-point pass, as they extended their lead to 20-7 with 4:20 remaining in the quarter. New Brockton was determined to answer the Reeltown score, and quickly moved back downfield to a first and goal at the Rebel 7-yard-

The big play in the drive was a 34-yard pass from Kellen Cole to Andre Flowers, but the Gamecocks

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CLASS 5A

in their fight to win a state champi- 0) Following is a complete listing of CLASS 3A games to be played on Friday night 2) Briarwood Christian (10-2) at Trini- Theodore 22 Vigor 12 ty (7-4), Montgomery

Phil Campbell (9-3) at Lincoln (10-Sidney Lanier (8-4) at Alma Bryant 1) Springville (12-0) at Plainview (12- Pelham 38 Benjamin Russell 6 (12-0), Irvington Theodore (8-4) at Lee-Montgomery 0), Rainsville

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Reeltown (6-6) at Maplesville (11- Etowah 42 Jacksonville 13 Sand Rock (10-2) at Lineville (12- Gadsden 33 Pinson Valley 16 Hazlewood (11-1) at Cherokee (11-

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> Highland Home 13 Houston County 7 Southern Choctaw 35 Wicksburg 0 Reeltown 41 New Brockton 13 Maplesville 38 Geneva County 7 Sand Rock 28 Fyffe 12 Lineville 56 Addison 21 Hazlewood 55 South Lamar 0 Cherokee 37 West Morgan 20 CLASS 1A Loachapoka 47 J.U. Blacksher 21 G.W. Long 8 Wadley 0 Brantley 39 Autaugaville 14 Florala 29 Bibb Graves 21

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the board when on third down a playoff battle against Reeltown. Harrison, a senior, linebacker, made 15 Cole pass was intercepted in the tackles to lead the Gamecock defense in the loss to the Rebels. New Brockton stopped the on 11 carries and Pate Harrison

Rebels on the ensuing possession added 23 yards on 5 carries to lead NB and forced a punt, but the Game- the New Brockton ground game, 6 cocks' return man fumbled the punt while Kellen Cole hit on 6 of 11 19 at the Brockton 21-yardline, and the passes for 144 yards. Pate Harrison 144 Rebels scored on the very next play made 15 tackles to lead the New 163 on a 21-yard run by Hutcherson to Brockton defense, and Adrian 6-11-2 take command. The extra-point was Grimes added 14 stops. true, and with 10:41 left in the away with a 27-7 advantage.

The Gamecocks were down, but not about to quit, and stunned the Reeltown defense by scoring on a long-distance connection from Cole to Flowers. The senior duo teamed up on a crossing pattern, and Flowers pulled away from the Rebel defense to race 74 yards for a touchdown. The extra-point try failed, but with 9:10

still left in the quarter New Brockton had cut the deficit to 27-13, and still had hopes of another fourth quarter comeback. Those hopes were quickly Collinsville 24 Westbrook Christian dashed; however, as the Gamecocks ensuing on-sides kick attempt was American Christian 69 Hubbertville downed at the New Brockton 44yardline, and from there it took

> into the endzone and put the win in Reeltown added a final score following yet another Gamecock turnover, and as the clock ticked down to :00, the New Brockton reserves got playoff experience in the 41-13 loss to the Rebels.

Jason McKenzie gained 40 yards

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New Brockton's Jason McKenzie (1) fights off a would be Reeltown tackler as he heads up the sidelines on a 78-yard kickoff return in last week's loss to the Rebels. The long return set up the Gamecocks' first touchdown of the game.



saw the scoring opportunity go by New Brockton's Pate Harrison (44) heads to war in the Gamecocks'

4/4

1st Downs Rushing Yds. Passing Yds. Total Offense 4-7-0 Passes Fumbles/Lost Penalty Yds.

STATISTICS



LYNN LEWIS is shown with a 10 point, 213 pound buck she bagged on November 13th, while she and husband Keith were on a week long hunt in Texas. It was opening day of white tail deer hunting in Texas and they were invited guests of a friend who owns an 8,000 ranch near Uvalda, Texas. Lynn was hunting with a Browning 308 rifle and estimates the distance at

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SPORTS

Ousts Autaugaville

Brantley guns down Eagles 39-14

The Brantley Bulldogs took step Bulldogs right back in business vo towards the Class 1A state foot- only two plays later when he recovpall championship Friday night with ered a Redondo Carroll fumble at an impressive 39-14 victory over the Autaugaville 18-yardline, and the Autaugaville Eagles, in Autauthree plays later Brantley was back

The hard hitting Bulldog defense on a 4-yard run up the middle. Greaused three turnovers and blocked gory Daniels drilled the extra-point punt to control the game, while try, and Brantley was on top 14-0 Bo Daniels rushed for over 200 with :08 still left in the opening ards and scored three touchdowns. stanza, Brantley began a drive at its own Autaugaville put the ball in play 4-yardline midway through the at its own 17-yardline after an

opening quarter, and on the fourth exchange of punts, and with the aid play of the drive appeared to get on of two 15-yard penalties against the scoreboard when Bo Daniels Brantley, stormed down the field to broke loose and raced 48 yards for score its first points of the night. in apparent touchdown. The scoring The Eagles covered the 83 yards dash was nullified by a clipping in 10 plays, with the touchdown penalty at the two-yardline that coming on a 25-yard pass from moved the ball back to the Eagle Redondo Carroll to J.R. Andrews. Brantley quarterback Andy Johnson (4) turns to handoff to the football to the one-yardline, and point conversion, and with 5:41 on the next play quarterback Andy remaining in the second quarter the Darrell Owens (5) in last week's big 39-14 Bulldog win over Johnson sneaked over for the first Eagles had cut the Brantley lead to Autaugaville. The Bulldogs will carry a 12-0 record and an touchdown of the game. Gregory 14-8. 18-game winning streak into Florala this week for a third Daniels booted the extra-point and Darrell Owens again set the Bullound battle against the Florala Wildcats. Kickoff is 7:00 PM. with 3:02 left in the first quarter the dog offense up late in the half when Bulldogs were off and running with he broke through to block a punt,

were ahead 20-8.

in the third quarter.

the game open!

The defenses dominated play

tory. A bad snap on a punt attempt

with vet another big play on the

The Brantley Bulldogs will continue their quest to repeat as Class

1A state football champions Friday

night when they travel to Florala to

tangle with the surprising Florala Wildcats, in third round quarterfinal

The Bulldogs will bring a 12-0

record and an 18-game winning

streak into the third round clash,

while the Wildcats will enter the

Brantley continued to roll past any and all challengers last week

with a 39-14 playoff win over

Autaugaville, and combined an

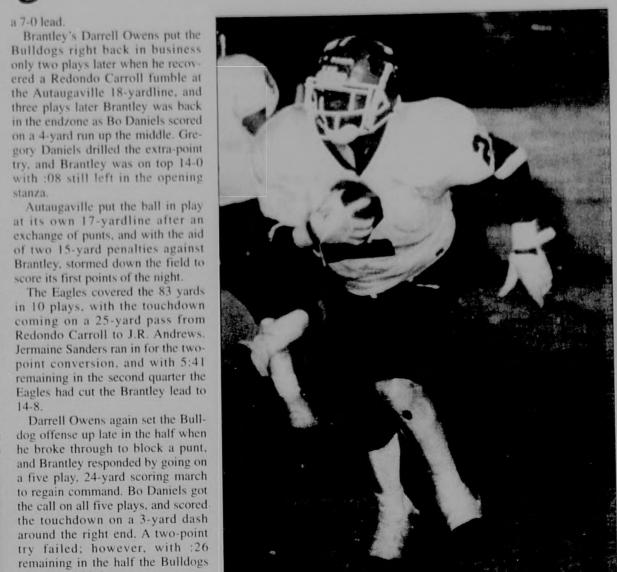
explosive offense with a hard-hitting defense to get the road win.

The Bulldogs' Bo Daniels gained

over 200 yards in the win and

scored three touchdowns to push

contest with a 8-4 record.



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early in the third quarter, with an Brantley's Bo Daniels (2) is off and running in the Bulldogs' exchange of punts penning the big 39-14 win over Autaugaville. Daniels gained over 200 Eagles back deep in their own terri-vards and scored 3 touchdowns to lead the Bulldogs past the

7-yardline, and after two running next Autaugaville possession, as However, at the final horn it was the Daniels got the call on a pitch

Bobby Phillips broke through to

Bulldogs that were moving on to endzone for his third touchdown of scooped up by Lavon Brooks. 39-14. Brooks raced 60 yards into the endthe night. A two-point try failed, but Brantley was back in charge with a 26-8 advantage with 4:45 remaining Shaun Person put an end to the next Eagle possession with an inter-

ception at the Brantley 37-yardline, Brantley's second team offense yards on 26 penalty flags! and the Bulldogs quickly turned the drove 37 yards in five plays late in interception into points as they blew the fourth quarter to score the Bulldogs' final points of the night. A 48-yard scamper by Bo Daniels Tyrone Knighten carried on the first snap after the turnover times for 29 yards in the fiveset the Bulldogs up at the Autaugavscoring drive, and scored the to ille 15-yardline, and on the next down on a 3-yard run. The snap Darrell Owens took a handoff and went straight up the middle 15 point try was blocked, but it

yards for the touchdown. Gregory 39-8 with only 2:36 remainir Daniels booted the extra-point, and with 3:30 left in the third quarter Autaugaville made the final the Bulldogs owned a big 33-8 lead. a little closer by scoring a to The Brantley defense came up down with :36 left on the cl

Brantley to travel to Florala Friday night

set Brantley up at the Autaugaville Eagles in the second round of the 1A football playoffs.

around left end and dove into the cause an Eagle fumble that was Round 3 as they claimed the win zone for what appeared to be anoth- offense for Brantley as he gained er Brantley score, but the touch- 213 yards on 25 carries, while Jerdown was nullified by a clipping maine Sanders racked up 83 yards penalty, and as the third quarter on 12 totes for the Eagles. The offidrew to a close the Bulldogs were - cials rolled up the most yardage: however, as they racked up 240

STATISTICS

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Brantley's Sergio Burnett (88). Tyrell Knighten (25) and Bo Bogen (64) lead the Bulldogs onto the field Friday night in Autaugaville prior to their 39-14 playoff win over the Autaugaville Eagles. Brantley will invade Florala this week in quarter-final action.

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a game in rolling to its 8-4 record.

dogs' 12 wins!



his yearly totals to 1233 yards rushhe closed in on the 1000 yard mark when the Bulldogs battle with Florala in Class 1A the season. Andy Johnson went to the air only sparingly in the easy quarterfinal action.

win, but did move his season totals The Wildcats have scored over 50 to 953 yards passing, with 12 points on three occasions, and has touchdowns and only 1 intercep-scored over 30 points in half of its twelve games.

The Bulldog defense caused The Wildcat wins have come three turnovers and blocked a punt over Samson 36-20, Louisville 39in the win, and continued to be led 6, Kinston 54-28, Houston Acadeby such standouts as Lavon Brooks, my 57-32, Zion Chapel 54-26, New Tyrell Knighten, Darrell Owens, Bo Brockton 40-32, A.L. Johnson 12-9 Daniels, Gregory Daniels, Shaun and Bibb Graves 29-21, while los-Person and Tyrone Knighten, not to ing to Red Level 14-13, Georgiana mention Zack Burnett, who has 7-6, Straughn 32-22 and G.W. Long picked off 11 passes in the Bull- 35-27.

The explosive Wildcats are led Florala has been one of the by tailback Junior Oates, who had state's most explosive teams rushed for 321 yards in two playoff throughout the season, and has games, and has gained almost 2000 scored an average of over 33 points yards for the season. Matt Geoha-

to battle high-scoring Florala Wildcats punch from his position in the backfield, while quarterback Joey Eason gives Florala an added weapon with his strong passing

> The Florala defense was under rated for much of the season, due to the fact the Wildcat reserves saw considerable playing time in the Wildcats' lopsided wins, and allowed opponents to roll up big numbers late in the games. The Florala defense stepped up in its opening round playoff win over A.L. Johnson and again last week in its win over Bibb Graves, and all of a sudden seems to have rededicated itself.

Florala was undefeated last season before falling to the Brantley This Brantley cheerleader Bulldogs in the second round of the ing and 18 touchdowns, while Dar- hopes to have plenty more to playoffs 17-7, and Friday night will rell Owens also had a big night as smile about Friday night be looking to repay the favor when the undefeated Bulldogs come to town. Kick off will be 7:00 PM.

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DON MORROW City Clerk 10-21,10-8,11-4,11-11,11-18

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

In The Matter Of The Estate Of

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

/s/ Virginia D. Pridgen /s/ Henrianne D. Hewes Personal Representatives 11-11,18,25chg

MARCUS S. DuBOSE DECEASED

ROBATE COURT

the same will be barred.

/s/ MICHAEL V. DUBOSE

Personal Representative 11-4,11,18chg

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

To: Ms. Melissa Jan Jones,

entered against you. Dated this 5th day of Nov., 1999.

JOSEPH JAY JONES,

MELISSA JAN JONES

HUSBAND AND WIFE

CASE NO. DR99-R-81

Circuit Clerk 11-11,18,25;12-2c

PC-99-72

Letters Testamentary of said

on the 2nd day of November, 1999, by the Honorable William O. Gammill, Pro-

hereby required to present the same

DONE this the 3rd day of November,

within time allowed by law or the same

Mary Virginia L. Dorsey,

Case No.: PC-99-74

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Elba, Alabama 36323 is accepting bids to sell TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, THE PRIMARY RESIDENCE ONLY, INCLUDING PORCHES OR DECKS, (do not include any separate structures) on that property located within the City of Elba, Alabama, at the following 736 Williams Street, minimum Elba for storm drainage improvements bid expected is \$7,500.00 548 Smith Avenue, minimum bid

include, but not necessarily be limited to Elba. All bids must arrive in a sealed envelope and be clearly marked as to Cost Estimates; the address being bid, at the above City Hall address not later than 4:00 P.M., November 18, 1999, and will be opened 2. Design and Specifications including bid alternates; 3. Preparation of Bid Documents, Bid

at that time. Bid packet must include certification the building(s) will be relocated outside any flood prone area. Bill of Sale will not be issued until the structure is moved and new location verified to be outside flood prone area. Bidders are invited to contact the City Clerk who will indicate the exact limited to the following: 1. Recent specialized experience in pro-

the purchased property, not later than thirty (30) calender days following notifiable. Sional integrity and competence;
3. Professional background and cation of award unless a written extension is granted. Accepted bid price will be paid in full within five (5) days follow-4. Capability to meet schedules and

98 CDBG application. aforementioned selection criteria.

right to reject any and all proposals and deceased having been granted to Virginia D. Pridgen and Henrianne D. Hewes, Co-Personal Representatives, to waive any informalities or irregulari-

> Elba, AL 36323 11-18chg

FLOOD PLAINS EARLY PUBLIC NOTICE fee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present City of Elba, Elba, Alabama. Comments

City of Elba

NOTICE OF COMPLETION You are hereby notified that a complaint of divorce has been filed against you in the entitled cause and you have 30 days from 12-2, 1999, to answer project should immediately notify

> 20 Whitman Street Montgomery, AL 36104

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The City of Elba plans to conduct a public hearing. The public hearing will be held at the Elba City Hall. The hearing will be held on November 29, 1999 at 4:00 p.m.

The City of Elba is proposing a formal amendment to its 98 CDBG disaster project (DR198-004). Citizens of Elba, Alabama are encouraged to attend the hearing and make

Any disabled person needing assistance at the public hearing should contact City Offi-

Because the people should know.

The City of Elba, 200 Buford Street, a. Alabama 36323 in second street. The City of Elba requests proposal vide professional engineering services for the City's proposed FY 1998 CDBG Disaster project (DRI-98-004). These improvements are being funded in part by a Community Development Block Grant which was awarded to the City of

It is estimated that the budget, including engineering, for the project will be approximately \$392,141.33.

The scope and services desired shall expected is \$7,600.00

Bids in any amount will be considered, however the indicated dollar amount constitutes the fifteen percent match that must be paid by the City of match that must be paid by the City of the following:

Advertisements, and Bid Openings; and 4. Engineering during construction work. The engineering firm will be selected on a 50 point rating system. Selection criteria will be based, but not necessarily be

location of the property involved. The City of Elba reserves the right to refuse and/or reject all bids. Bidder receiving award will be required to clear the lot of 3. Professional background and caliber of personnel to be assigned to this pro-

> 5. Familiarity with existing storm drainage improvement needs for the proposed project as outlined in the FY Proposals are being requested in accordance with Common Rule. Each proposal will be rated according to the Proposals will be received at the City Council in Elba, Alabama, on or before 2:00 p.m., December 8, 1999. All professional engineering firms who consider themselves qualified for this work are

invited to submit a proposal to the City

of Elba. The City of Elba reserves the

ties in the proposal process. bate Judge for Coffee County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are 200 Buford Street

The City of Elba is considering a storm drainage project in the Putman and Martin Luther King section of the drainage improvements a portion of the project will take place in a flood plain area. To correct the existing storm drainage problem in the project area, it Letters Testamentary of said is necessary to carry out this project in deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of November, 1999, by the Hon. William O. Gammill Judge of the Probate Court of Coffice Courty, notice is hereby diven that possible adverse impacts that could result from the project and possible minimization measures. Please send written the same within time allowed by law or comments to Donnie Morrow, City Clerk,

> will be received until December 3, 1999. James Grimes, Mayor 200 Buford Street

Elba, AL 36323 11-18chg

In accordance with Chapter 1, Title 39 Code of Alabama, 1975, notice is hereby given that Paulk Construction, Inc. contractor has completed the contract for modernization of Public Housing Site AL 107-5, CIAP Modernization Number AL09-P107-904-97 at Elba Alabama for the Housing Authority of the City of Elba Owner(s), and have made request for

same; otherwise, default may be Pamela Bedsole, 251 Deal Street, Elba, Paul Construction, Inc.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

their views known to Elba Officials.

cials, prior to the hearing. James Grimes, Mayor

City of Elba 200 Buford Street Elba, AL 36323

Area News

Girl Scouts preparing for the 12th annual Christmas Festival

The 41 members of Senior Girl size refreshments. The little girls Scout Troop 300 have been work- are encouraged to bring their interest of their free activities for beads to wear home. children will be a "Teddy Bear Tea Other activities for girls and boys Education at 897-5016.

Designed to appeal to little girls art and cookie decorating. The Girl priate services can be provided. tables and chairs, china tea sets are free and will take place between Donated items will serve as decorations decorated with teddy bears and bite 10 a.m. and 12 noon.



From left to right, Emily Qualls, Kendra Vaughan, Bethany Dye and Ashley Harrelson are getting their teddy bears ready Restaurant on the bypass in Enter- va counties are welcome to attend to go to "The Teddy Bear Tea Party" at the 12th Annual



While fishing at the Coffee County Lake recently, Justin lowing Friday. Mack, Jeremy Mack and Dustin Wilkins, all of Elba; and Sam The gates will open at 9 a.m. on ed on the Poarch Creek Indian Coleman, Enterprise, caught 66 crappie. They were night both days of the event. Activities Reservation at Exit 54 off I-65, fishing off the lighted pier.

............. Child Find Activities for Coffee County

The Coffee County School System is in the process of identifying all • persons with disabilities, ages 3-21 years, who are not enrolled in an • educational setting, and all 0-3 year old children with disabilities. scout Troop 300 have been working and arro-s year old children will disabilities or know of someone in the new Post Office for Elba.

Flippo, discussed some details of the new Post Office for Elba.

If you are the parent of a child with disabilities or know of someone in the new Post Office for Elba. mas Festival. This year, the main will receive a string of Mardi Gras • who is disabled, please contact the principal of your local school or the • • Special Education Coordinator's office at the Coffee County Board of • will be face painting, thumb print • It is important that all persons with disabilities be identified so appro-

in the first grade and younger, the Scouts will be on the square across

for the "Magical Christmas Float" The "Magical Christmas Float," the float's "magical" decorations. sponsored by the Elba Chamber of The donated items will then be Commerce will lead the way in the given to needy families in the area 12th Annual Christmas Festival in an attempt to bring a smile to

Parade on Saturday, Nov. 27, at 5 someone's face this holiday season p.m. in Elba. The float will be the as they "Catch the Holiday Spirit!" first entry following the police cars Therefore, the Elba Chamber of and is designed to raise donated Commerce asks that everyone bring items for needy families in the Elba their non-perishable food items, area. The float will make routine toys, etc. to the Christmas Parade stops along the parade route so peo- on Saturday, Nov. 27, and help creple can place their donated items ate a magical Christmas. onto the float which will serve as

SAR to elect officers during November meeting

Annual election of officers will . Nominations will be taken from be held when members of the Wire- the floor prior to the vote. grass Chapter, Alabama Society, Officers will be installed during a Sons of the American Revolution, January, 2000 meeting meet at noon Nov. 18 in Po' Folks All area men in Coffee and Gene-

During the October meeting, seeking application to the SAR. The members voted to present the same 100-year-old patriotic organization late of officers as serving during has about 26,000 active members he current year. These include: who are dedicated to the preserva-Richard A. Kemp II. president: tion of the heritage and history of John Ray Fuller Sr., vice president; the Revolutionary War era and con-John R. Wallace, secretary-treasurtinued education of the public ; and Jack M. Bryan, chaplain. events during this era.

Poarch Creek Indians will host Thanksgiving Homecoming and Intertribal Pow Wow on Nov. 25 & 26

As an alternative to the family's beginning with exhibition dancing sual Thanksgiving dinner, the and story telling on the mound at Poarch Creek Indians will host their 9:30 a.m. and continues throughout 29th Annual Thanksgiving Home- the day. There will be activities for coming and Intertribal Pow Wow both adults and children, and plenty on Thanksgiving Day and the fol- of food and drinks will be sold.

The Pow Wow grounds are locatare scheduled throughout each day eight miles northwest of Atmore on Jack Springs Rd. (Escambia County Road 1). For more information about the 29th Annual Thanksgiving Homecoming and Intertribal Pow Wow contact Daniel McGhee, Community Relations Director, at (334) 368-9136 ext. 2210.

Lions Club members meet new postmaster during Nov. 9th meeting

During the Nov. 9 Lions Club Congratulations goes out to meeting, the past postmaster, David Grover Purvis. He is the lucky win-Flippo, discussed some details of ner of two tickets to see Alabama According to Flippo, they have nar-spending cash. The Lions Club has rowed it down to two locations. been selling chances on these tick-Mr. Flippo also announced the new ets for the past several weeks with postmaster for Elba is Ann Linton. one-half the proceeds going to the Linton comes to us from Coffee Elba Marching Band. The Lions Springs. Ala., and she resides in Club would like to thank everyone Samson. Mr. Flippo will be going who purchased these tickets as well

to Andalusia and will continue to as those who helped to sell them.



Richard Patterson presents two tickets to the Alabama-Auburn football gameplus \$50 to Grover Purvis.



Former Elba postmaster, David Flippo, introduced the newly appointed postmaster, Ann Linton, to Lions Club members during the Nov. 9 meeting.

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Elba & County subsidize EMS

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor The Coffee County Commission- subsidize CCEMS with \$2,000 per Terry Spicer. The motion failed. ers "tended" to county business month for that service. In addition Several commissioners noted that expeditiously Monday morning and to the subsidy, the city is leasing this particular problem is fast

ing the emergency rescue service vehicle. for the Elba area of the county.

paid staff; however, he said, "Two sidy toward that," said Grimes. "At actions: gone on line, he and other city lead- commission contribute \$1,000 - \$7,000.00; Mitchell Nissan of ers felt it was necessary to go ahead toward subsidizing CCEMS for the Enterprise - \$10,450.00. sent time, for the city and the area block. of the county served by Elba.

about handling the emergency care missioner Linda Westbrook. Grimes said. "And they have agreed Stephen's motion, it was noted that employees. agreement with them."

and answer all E-911 calls coming made a motion - seconded by Com- Church. into the Elba Police Department. missioner Bernest Brooks - to table The contract is for eleven months Stephens' motion until after the

by Marvin McILwain, Editor

The Coffee County Emergency

Management Agency (CCEMA)

On Wednesday, Nov. 17, 1999,

the mantle of leadership was passed

from Charles L. Webb to John C.

Tallis. The announcement was

made at an 11 a.m. press confer-

ence held in the Community Room

adjoining the agency's offices.

Also, a luncheon in Webb's honor

was held immediately following the

announcement by Coffee County

news/good news announcements to

make," said Lewis. "The bad news

is that Charlie Webb has tendered

his resignation as EMA Director,

and the [Coffee County Emergency

"Today, I have some bad

Chairman Kayo Lewis.

accepted his resignation.

has had a "changing of the guard."

adjourned to sign bills in almost CCEMS one of the city-owned becoming one for more areas of the ambulances for the length of the county than just the Elba area, and Elba Mayor James E. Grimes contract with the company paying it is going to have to be addressed addressed the commission concern- all the operating expenses on the by local and state leaders. "Since a lot of our calls are out in discussion, the commission voted He told commissioners that the the county area - west of New 6-0-1 to approve Grimes' request.

city had given consideration into Brockton - I think the county Commissioner Brooks abstained. going into the rescue squad busi- should join in this effort with the In other matters of business, the or three little problems have the end of this contract, we will •Tabled bids on

Commissioner Robert Stephens Holley's Store Community. gency medical service provider) His motion was seconded by Comtations on computers and printers.

Charlie Webb hands EMA off to John Tallis

and concludes on Sept. 30, 2000. planned meeting with State Senator Part of the city's agreement is to Jimmy Holley and Representative

After several more minutes of

ness fulltime - city operated with City of Elba and help fund this sub- commission took the following popped up and it's going to be a look at the service and see if they mapping/appraisal vehicle - a 1997 the Elba Chamber of Commerce officials and members were on hand to help the employees and managers of the while before we get them resolved." have been satisfactory and deter- Nissan. They were as follows: The mayor told commissioners mine future action at that time." Hometown Motors of Enterprise - ing celebration were (left to right): Dawn Austin; Shay Johnson, Jr. Miss Elba; Harold Wayne and Betty Lawford, that since the E-911 system had Mayor Grimes asked that the \$9,489.00; Gene Auto Sales of Elba

and get some more permanent emergency medical service to the •Approved the signing of agreearrangements in place, at the pre- county area in the Elba E-911 ments by the chairman on the Coffee Bakery Water Project in the "We have contacted Coffee made a motion to approve Mayor •Approved the request from the County EMS (a local, private emer- Grimes' request for the \$11,000. probate judge to send out bid invi-

•Adopted the Coffee County for our E-911 calls in that area," During the discussion of Internet Usage Policy for county to do so and we have worked out an a meeting with the county's legisla- •Signed a resolution recognizing He said that the city has entered being scheduled to seek their help service as director of the Coffee Elba police officer L. C. Cook. into a contractual agreement with in securing possible funding for this County Emergency Management.

vide emergency medical service Commission Doug Dalrymple Co. Rd. 308 near the Hebron the department longer than any

property owners; Kenneth Calhoun; Henrietta Grimes; Mayor James Grimes; Doris Matthews; Brandy Bozeman, store manager; Connie Wright; Mike Parker; Lela Smith, district manager; Nikki Fuller, Future Little Miss Elba; Bill Smith; Tonya Jones, Ann Moore, assistant manager; Kaye Whitworth, executive director of the Elba Chamber of Commerce; Ted Roberts; Leslie Stinson, Miss Elba; and Herby McCall.

City Council approves drainage grant application doubling to over half million

of the Monday night meeting in tive delegation is in the process of Charlie Webb for his outstanding executive session at the request of Mr. Cook is the senior officer on •Approved speed limit signs on the Elba department, having served

other officer. He may in fact have more time with the Elba department than any two police officers combined. The only employee of the department who rivals him in time s dispatcher Joyce Skinner. Officer Cook started addressing

the council and was asked if this was something which needed discussing in executive session? When he responded that this might be better, the council voted unanimously for the executive session, which began at 6:05 and ended at 6:36. Upon reconvening, the council and Mayor James Grimes stated been unearthed and one of them the addition will be \$72,000. needed to decide at this time. The council voted a one time pay pleased with his tests of the sur-

raise for all full time city employees, to be paid with the December the tanks. Morrow said they should 10th payroll. This is traditionally be able to use the same dirt back in done during the month of Decem- the holes, once the tanks are ber, as Grimes reminded council removed. members and is in leu of Christmas gifts from the city. The amount for trip to Montgomery seeking a grant each employee is \$75.00.

"However, I actually have two "The second item of good news" On hand for the occasion were It is located at 736 Williams Street. Work. good news announcements: the first is that Charlie has agreed to stay on local and state officials - all gath- The other, located at 548 Smith He also reported that he expects item of good news is that the Board - for an indefinite period of time - ered to honor Webb and his accomful bidder with a bid of \$12,000. office. He said postal officials have The Coffee County Emergency The council approved the sale of the been in Elba reviewing potential Management Board was formed in house, to be moved, to Williams. 1990 following the flood that dev- City Clerk Donnie Morrow told ed within the next few days.

Morrow also reported that started today (Monday). Two have

astated Elba and a larger area of the the city council that the major sewer county in March of that year. Mem-project is speeding along at leaps bers of the board were made up of - and bounds. Please See WEBB Page 2 removal of underground gas tanks

AREA FOOTBALL GAMES The only area football team participal ing in the Alabama State High School Football Playoffs is the Brantley Bulldogs. They will host the G. W. Long Rebels of Skipperville. Kick off is at 7:00 p.m. and tickets are \$5.00 each.

Area Happenings

CHRISTMAS ON MAIN The second annual community celebration of "Christmas on Main" will be held in New Brockton on the mai street, Saturday, December 4, 1999, at 6:00 p.m. After the lighting of the tree and singing of Christmas carols, all citizens are invited to brin their favorite Christmas goodies (finger foods) to share with their neigh bors in the fellowship hall at the First Baptist Church.

ELBA'S CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL The Elba Chamber of Commerce will present its 12th Annual Christmas Festival, "Catch the Holida Spirit," on Saturday, Nov. 27, beginning at 9 a.m. on the square i downtown Elba followed by the annual Christmas Parade at 5 p.m. The day's events will close with the magical "1999 All-Star Lighting" cere mony on the square immediately after the parade. For more information, contact Kaye Whitworth at the Elba Chamber of Commerce (897



CLOTHING STORE OPENS...Elba shoppers won't have to travel far to buy their clothes these days as the Fac-

tory Connection officially opened its doors on Friday, Nov. 12, during the grand opening celebration. Many of

store commemorate the opening with a ribbon cutting ceremony. Present for the ribbon cutting and grand open-

Police Officer L C Cook neer monitoring the work was only meeting in December. rounding dirt and the condition of

Mayor Grimes reported that his for resurfacing the airport runway Bids on removal of two flood got negative results, but he is not zone houses were considered. One giving up and will be back up there received no bids and will be rebid. until he finds the funding for the

sites and the results should be post-

The mayor reported a positive trip to the Coffee County Commission earlier in the day. The commis sion agreed to help with the funding of the E911 ambulance service from Services. This is to run for eleven equest a meeting be set up with all county governments and the legislative delegation to resolve this prob-

lem long-range. The council also approved an amendment to a grant application to do additional drainage improvement work in New Town and on Polka Street. The original project is for work on Plant Avenue and on Man tin Luther King Drive. The original project was for \$294,000 and the addition will add \$291,714.10 to the overall project. The city's match on that the executive session didn't completely removed from the The City Council will meet again result in anything which the council ground. He reported that the engi-

NOTICE

The offices of the cities of Elba and New Brockton will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 25 & 26, 1999 in observance of the Thanks giving holiday. Standby crews or emergencies can be reached by calling the Elba Police Department at 897-2555 or the New Brockton Police Department at 894-5559. The garbage pickup schedules will

12th Annual Christmas Festival *Schedule of Events* Saturday, November 27, 1999

9:00 a.m. - Elba High School Jazz Band & Boy Scouts raise flag

9:30 a.m. - Christos - Contemporary Gospel Band 10:30 a.m. - Dixieland Cloggers 11:00 a.m. - New Brockton Elementary School

Chorus 11:30 a.m. - Celeste Sanders & Tara Rodgers &

Dixie Darlins Clogging 12:00 Noon - First Assembly of God Youth Drama

12:30 p.m. - Elba Elementary School 5th & 6th Grade Band - 3rd & 4th Grade to sing

1:15 p.m. - Troy School of Dance

1:45 p.m. - Masters Call - Southern Gospel Group 2:15 p.m. - First Baptist Church Sanctuary Bells

2:45 p.m. - Mis Beats - 50s & 60s Rock&Roll Band 4:00 p.m. - River Junction Cloggers from Geneva

5:00 p.m. - Christmas Parade 6:00 p.m. - 1999 "All-Star" Lighting Ceremony

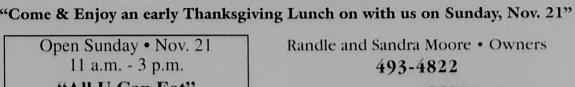
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State troopers predict 18 may die in holiday traffic crashes

With additional traffic expected checkpoints, troopers will distribute all traffic laws.

midnight Sunday, Nov. 28.

out the holiday period. Troopers ing every trip, every day of the will concentrate patrols on inter- year." safety belt, and child restraint laws. on their cellular telephones. During driver license and safety

back seats. Children ages four and

states and other heavily traveled Troopers remind holiday travelroadways, and will emphasize ers that they can report highway enforcement of speed limit, DUI, emergencies by dialing *HP (*47)

Charles Webb (left) passes mantle to John Tallis Management] Board has reluctantly an outstanding individual for the continue his leadership role in the Director's job - Mr. John Tallas. E-911 program."

has appointed, by unanimous vote, as an assistant to John, and also plishments as Director of Coffee Brandi Williams being the success- the next meeting on the new post County's EMA.

during the Thanksgiving holiday. flyers to remind motorists that Alabama State Troopers are asking enforcement of the primary safety all motorists to help ensure safe belt law begins December 10. The travel by buckling up, avoiding new law allows officers to ticket drinking and driving, and obeying motorists for failure to buckle up The Alabama Department of traffic offense. Failure of front seat

ple may die in traffic crashes in \$25 fine. Alabama during the 102-hour peri- Alabama's child restraint law od, which starts at 6 p.m. Wednes- requires a child safety seat for childay, Nov. 24, and continues until dren through age three in front and Last year 8 people died in traffic five must be secured in a child safecrashes during the Thanksgiving ty seat or a regular safety belt. holiday period. At least 3 of the "If Alabamians buckled up every

without first citing them for another Public Safety estimates that 18 peo- occupants to buckle up carries a

deaths were alcohol related. Only 3 time they got in their vehicles, of the crash victims were using many lives could be saved and serious injuries prevented," said Col. Federal overtime grants will James H. Alexander, Public Safety allow for extra state troopers to director. "I urge all motorists to use patrol the state's roadways through- safety belts and child restraints dur-